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Advises Against Ease-Up

Sen. George Warns US Must Maintain Strength Despite Neutral Zone Move

WASHINGTON, May 21.—Sen. George (D-Ga.) said today the United States must not give up European airbases or reduce its military strength there despite any "bold move" by Russia to erect a neutral zone between East and West.

George, who heads the Senate Foreign Relations Committee, told newsmen there are "no present circumstances under which we can afford to give up our air bases or decrease our forces in Europe."

Replying to critics who have said Russia's prime objective at any top-level, Big Four conference would be to dissipate American military strength in Europe, George said:

"I don't think we can give up anything at this time or rest on our oars in any way. We can't let our guard down now. No proposal Russia makes should affect our military efforts until we have had time to see some real change in the world situation."

Sen. Knowland of California, the Republican leader, has contended that the Soviets are aiming at bringing about withdrawal of American troops from the Continent. He has predicted attempts to "neutralize" a belt of countries across Europe from Yugoslavia to Scandinavia.

George, first in this country to call for a "summit" conference between President Eisenhower and the heads of Britain, France and Russia, said he has no doubt the Russians will come forward with "a very bold program" at such a meeting.

"They will probably have a new disarmament proposal," he said. "They are likely to suggest the creation of a neutral zone between East and West."

"They may even propose that the United States, Britain and France on one side guarantee the neutrality of a dividing zone while they guarantee it on the other."

Completes First One-Day Flight Across US, Back

LOS ANGELES, May 21.—Striking into Los Angeles in time for dinner, a wartime decorated National Guard pilot today completed the first sunrise-to-sunset round-trip to coast flight.

Happy but weary First Lt. John M. Conroy, 34, flying alone in an F8A Sabre Jet, nicknamed the "California Boomerang," made good his plan of having breakfast in Los Angeles, lunch in New York City and his evening meal back in Los Angeles again.

"I'm very, very, very tired," Conroy had told the 345th Air Division radar flight following service at Kirtland AFB, in asking for radar tracking to keep him in course on the final leg from Albuquerque, N.M.

To do it, the World War II Purple Heart veteran had to travel 7½ miles a minute between his take off at 5:59:45 a.m. PDT and his final roaring pass over a cheering crowd here at 5:26:18 p.m. PDT.

His average speed for the 5,085 miles was about 445 m.p.h. and the elapsed time of 11 hours, 26 minutes and 33 seconds included six fast refueling stops.

Hospital Officials To Address Rotary

James Franks, manager of the Bothwell Hospital, and Fred Lange, president of the Hospital Board, will be the speakers at the noon meeting of the Rotary Club Monday, at Bothwell Hotel. They will discuss "The Past and the Future of the Bothwell Hospital."

Program chairman is Dr. C. Gordon Stauffer, who will introduce the speakers.

Without Pause

It rained, but that didn't make any difference to the Scouts at the Camporee. They kept right on going and having a good time—another difference between youth and age.

Cloudy Sunday with scattered showers and thunderstorms. Partly cloudy Monday with decreasing showers activity. Little change in temperature. High Sunday in 70s.

The temperature Saturday was 63 at 7 a. m. and 72 at 1 p. m. Rainfall up to 5 p. m. Saturday, .16 inch.

The temperature one year ago today, high 80, low 60; two years ago, high 83, low 74, with .02 inch of moisture; and three years ago, high 82, low 62, with .23 inch of moisture.

Personal Taste Is Keynote—

Garden Club Women Enjoy Tour Of Six Homes in Sedalia Friday

A woman should furnish and decorate her home according to her own ideas—that is the keynote of home decorating. This was exactly what Garden Club women found Friday afternoon when they made a tour of six Sedalia homes.

The first home visited was that of Mrs. J. J. Chipman, 1114 West Broadway. The Chipman home goes into a little hall and off one way is a homey sunroom in knotty pine with easy chairs and a window that over looks a neighbor's flower garden.

The living room is large with a fireplace, above which is a painting. This is just about the only picture anywhere in the house. "I like quiet walls" said Mrs. Chipman. The walls of the living room are grey and on the floor is an oriental rug from which the colors are picked up by the upholstery of chairs and sofas. Oriental rugs of chairs and sofas. Oriental rugs of chairs and sofas.

Mrs. Chipman thinks her daughter, Jo's room, is the prettiest with pink and blue and unusual furniture that is designed round in front. The color seems to be a blended green, gray and beige and painted on the front, is a large bouquet of flowers in pastel shades.

The home of Mrs. Norman Stevens has many antiques and in the long hallway is a cabinet filled with Mrs. Stevens' collection of slippers of glass, china and other materials, all over 50 years old. She also has a large shoe which was given her by the late Mrs. Flora Kahn. It had been given to Mrs. Kahn in 1904 in Alsace-Lorraine. The loust hand-painted wall decoration was creating much comment, as was the telephone stand which had been an oldtime stand and the seat which was once an organ stool. The furniture in the master bedroom is antique furniture with a dresser brought in a covered wagon to Missouri by Mr. Stevens' ancestors, and a rosewood chest which was a wedding present to Mrs. Stevens' parents. A beautifully carved round table is a center of attraction in the room.

The home of Mrs. Neal Reubyn, 1525 West Seventh, is as modern as it can be, with furniture built in. Bill's room, the small boy of the family, has a large mirror with louvered drawers beneath. Bill's built-in desk is of formica so there can be no artistic or other carving done on it. The walls are gray, but in Jennie and Kathie's room, which they share with grandmother, the walls are green. In the master bedroom, a mirror goes across the entire wall behind the bed.

The place the family enjoys most is the large room with glass on one side that overlooks the garden. Winter and summer it looks just like sitting on a patio in the garden because just inside the glass are like little gardens with vines growing.

The home of Mrs. L. C. Keuper, 516 Sunset Drive, has a very large homey living room with a fireplace and a petition of large glass blocks of two kinds which form a checked board design more than half way up. The remainder is of strips of wood painted white making large squares for growing plants, vases and other things that may be seen from either side. They divide the living room and the dining room.

One of the most interesting things in the home is the dining room light fixture called the shooting star, and it seems to give just the effect.

The home of Mrs. W. J. Meneffe, 1201 West Third, this home, too has a large living room with a small portion of it as a dining room. The walls are a deep rose with a large fire place on one side. From the big picture window may be seen Liberty Park.

The kitchen is huge but all the cooking may be done in a small space conveniently arranged. It has yellow walls and has all the gadgets possible. In the center, by a window, is a large yellow breakfast set. The curtains are unusual, giving the effect of cross stitch.

The last home was that of Mrs. A. W. Klang, with two bedrooms upstairs. Antique furniture is used in the bedrooms, with all the beds of cherry wood. In one bedroom is a trundle bed. This high bed had a beautiful pink and white quilt on it. In the other bedroom are two cannonball beds with old-fashioned white counterpanes. The wallpaper is a gray background with pussy willows and at the windows are white curtains. All of the lampshades were yellow. Tables and chairs are also of cherry wood.

Downstairs is a room with antique furniture, tables and chairs and a large screen with animal and bird prints. In the living room is a fireplace, a piano, and also antique chairs and tables. Two chairs of particular interest were large and had dog head arms.

Guests were welcomed at the Klang home by Mrs. J. W. Boger, president of the Garden Club Council.

Each hostess wore a rose corsage made by Mrs. C. L. Carter.

The tour was sponsored by the Past President Club of the Sedalia Garden Clubs.

National Dairy Month—

Area Dairies Honor Sedalia Grocers, Restaurant Owners

June has been designated Nationally as Dairy Month. Some 57 dairies who are selling Grade A milk in Sedalia and the three local dairy processing plants are starting the month off by honoring the Sedalia Grocers and restaurant operators who sell their dairy products.

The recognition will be in the

Farm Price Supports Big Election Item

WASHINGTON, May 21.—Farm price supports stood out today as a potentially powerful factor in determining who will be the presidential nominees next year—particularly on the Democratic ticket.

Democrats appear to be heading toward platform endorsement of a return to the high-level, rigid price supports of the Truman era on major crops in a bid for agricultural votes in 1956.

Republicans, on the other hand, are expected to go on record for the administration's flexible price support system adopted last year. The price support issue might become a factor in the Republican selection of a candidate only if President Eisenhower chose not to run.

But the issue could well stir up a lot of trouble among the Democrats, particularly for Adlai E. Stevenson if he should be a candidate for renomination. The 1952 Democratic candidate is on record with an expression of belief that neither high, rigid supports nor flexible ones are satisfactory for stabilizing agriculture.

Led by influential Speaker Rayburn of Texas, Democrats recently pushed through the House a measure that would repeal the Eisenhower flexible price floor program and reinstate supports at 90 per cent of parity for such crops as wheat, corn, cotton, peanuts and rice. This latter system was put into effect early in World War II to encourage expanded food production. It was retained until this year.

Parity is a standard for measuring farm prices, declared by law to be fair to farmers in relation to prices they must pay for necessities.

Action by the Democrat-controlled Senate on the high support bill may come at this session, but more probably just before the elections next year.

Johnston Promoted To Vice-President Of Wabash Railroad

ST. LOUIS, May 21.—Chester A. Johnston today was named vice president and general manager of the Wabash Railroad Co., the Ann Arbor Railroad Co. and appointed general manager of the New Jersey, Indiana and Illinois Railroad Co., with headquarters here.

At the same time, the election of William D. Steele of New York as vice president, secretary and general manager of all three companies was announced by Wabash President Arthur K. Atkinson. Both promotions are effective June 1.

Morning Baccalaureate—

Sacred Heart Commencement Will Be Held This Evening

Twenty-two seniors receive their high school diplomas tonight at Sacred Heart Auditorium.

Baccalaureate services will be at 11 a.m. Sunday in Sacred Heart Church. At this time the seniors make a profession of faith, assist at mass and receive Holy Communion as a class. The baccalaureate sermon will be given by the Rev. A. J. Brunswick, pastor of Sacred Heart Church. Immediately after the mass, a breakfast will be served the graduating class.

At 2 p.m. the commencement exercises will be held. Elizabeth Huff, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Huff, will deliver the valedictory, while Mary Margaret Rouchka, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rouchka, is salutatorian of the class. The invocation will be given by the Rev. G. Pelletier, teacher at Sacred Heart, and the benedic-

tion will be given by the Rev. J. Nolan, pastor of St. Patrick's Church.

Claude Boul, master of ceremonies, will introduce the speaker for the evening, the Rev. Charles Bricher, pastor of St. Joseph Church. The presentation of awards and diplomas will be made by the Rev. A. J. Brunswick.

The following students of Sacred Heart will receive diplomas: Thomas Adams, Frances Bennett, Robert Bennett, Firmin Boul, Richard Bowers, Robert Burch, Eugene Burke, Reynaldo Buso, Jack Coffey, Judy Craig, Aniela Czerwona, James Dick, Mary Virginia Dore, Loretta Grinstead, Elizabeth Huff, Betty Hula, Patricia McGinnis, Anthony Meneffe, Patricia Mulcahey, Mary Margaret Rouchka, Helen Rugen and Harriet Schmitt.

Vaccine Mix-Up Growing

Welfare Secretary Concedes Shortage Now 'Tremendous'; More Delay Likely

WASHINGTON, May 21.—Politics, name-calling, worry and the caution of scientists searching for safety have brought the stop-and-go polio vaccination program to a state of wavering confusion.

At the moment, Secretary of Welfare Hobby concedes the shortage is simply "tremendous." Nobody is offering any assurances when more will be released. A cloud hangs over some of the supply already produced.

Virus experts from vaccine manufacturing firms are coming into Washington for another conference, with word that the government may set up some new safety standards. That may signal more delay.

What is the effect on President Eisenhower's estimate last Wednesday that enough Salk vaccine was on hand or in sight for all first and second grade students? Nobody will say anything about that either.

It was only hours after Eisenhower's news conference statement that the Public Health Service called a halt, for the rest of the week at least, on approving any more vaccine for general use.

Once hopeful parents have begun wondering and worrying and some even refuse to permit inoculations. Congress has been rumbling along partly lines with criticism and praise of Secretary of Welfare Hobby and her department's handling of the vaccine program.

How has all the confusion and delay affected the vaccine supply?

Surgeon General Leonard A. Scheele concedes there have been setbacks but insists that if there is "good fortune all round" there certainly will be enough for two injections for all 5- to 9-year-olds before the peak of the season, from mid-August to mid-September.

Even so, many schools apparently will close for the summer before all first and second graders can be inoculated. And even where vaccinations have been resumed, in some instances many parents are refusing to permit inoculations.

There was talk for a while of reducing the dosages to spread the scarce supplies but a committee of experts called in by the government put its foot down on that Friday night.

What about the delay between first and second shots?

Dr. Salk said the second shot should come along within two to four weeks after the first, and a third booster shot within seven months. But now he says the first shot probably will remain potent even if the second shot isn't administered for a year or two.

Has the Cutter vaccine been the cause of polio among the small group of children afflicted after receiving Cutter shots?

Apparently nobody knows for sure yet. Federal officials have emphasized repeatedly there have been no findings that the Cutter vaccine has been responsible.

But Scheele has said in a public statement there was a definite "association" between the use of Cutter vaccine and polio cases among children inoculated with it.

Sale Of Inter-City Press Is Announced

KANSAS CITY, May 21.—Sale of the Inter-City Press, Inc., publishers of two weekly and monthly suburban newspapers was announced today by Otto P. Higgins, president of the firm.

Purchasers were three employees, Bernard F. McCarty, advertising manager; John N. Wymore and Virgil Gray. McCarty will be managing editor of the publications, the Inter-City News, Independence, the Lake Lotawana News and the Lake Tapawingo News.

Ninety-nine per cent of the stock was owned by Higgins and Stanley Fike, secretary to Sen. Symington.

Higgins said the sale would mark his retirement from the new and publishing field.

Former Representative In State House Dies

MILAN, Mo., May 21.—Walter S. Clark, 67, former representative in the Missouri House from Sullivan County, died last night.

Clark, a Republican, was a member of the 33rd, 39th, 41st, and 62nd General Assemblies. He practiced law before turning to politics, farming and cattle raising.

Survivors include his wife, three sons, Marion Clark, Columbia, Mo.; Edward Clark, Milan, and Webb Clark of Stewartsville, Mo., and daughter, Dr. Vivian Wismer of Honolulu.



CRA-S-T-A-C-E-O-L-O-G-Y WINS BEE—Benson Alteman, pro-nouncer of the 28th annual National Spelling Bee in Washington, D. C., raises hand of 13-year-old Sandra Sloss of Granite City, Ill., who won the bee by correctly spelling "crustaceology." Sandra, who represented the St. Louis area in the contest, won a \$500 cash prize plus a bonus weekend visit to New York City. (NEA Telephoto)

Pettis Scout District Has Its Camporee

About 150 Youths And Leaders Attend, Demonstrate Skills

The annual Pettis District Boy Scout Camporee was held this past weekend at the Girl Scout Camp south of Sedalia. Approximately 150 Boy Scouts and their leaders attended this event.

The Scouts arrived on Friday afternoon and will return this afternoon after a basket dinner with parents and leaders and a Court of Honor. During the stay in camp each boy cooked his meals and slept in a tent.

Friday evening there was a campfire opened by ceremonial Indian dancers led by Fred Fisher, advisor of Post 57. In the campfire group singing was led by Claude Lambirth; Paul Anthes, district commissioner, acted as master of ceremonies; stunts were given by individual units from Troop 54, Troop 66, Troop 150 and Troop 151; and the "big idea," the meaning of the Scout badge, was explained by Lou Linn, field scout executive.

Saturday was the day for "Operation X-5." Each year for the past five years "Operation X" has been held in the camporee. In this feature, Scouts are given cards with which they carry to each skill they attend and participate in. At the skill they apply their knowledge of scouting. They are rated with points for their participation.

The Explorers, which are older Boy Scouts, and leaders acted as judges of the events. The judges were Tom Boehm, Joe Coffey, Harry Steele, James Mehl, Don Rouchka, Bill Kreisel, Larry Furnell, John Stonner, John Martin, Kenneth Rush, Henry Sutton, Ronnie Dink, Gary Christian, Sam Green, Bob Heuerman, Larry Williams, Frank Lueck, Gene Self, Benji Hill, Ira Knox, Kenneth Williams, Joe Furnell, Larry Owen, Leland Payton, Lowell Bergman, Jerry Betheke and Tony Larson.

Saturday evening the second big campfire was held. C. A. Phillips acted as song leader and master of ceremonies; again the Indian dancers led the entire camp into the council ring. The remaining portion of the scouting units presented the program for the campfire. Paul Anthes, district commissioner, gave the "big idea," which was centered around Scout brotherhood and reverence.

Sunday morning the Scouts and their leaders were returned to Sedalia for worship services in their churches. (Please turn to page 6, Column 4)

Hubbard Commencement—

Twenty-Nine Seniors Receive Their Diplomas Friday Night

Hubbard High School held commencement exercises for 29 graduating seniors and gave out awards Friday night in the auditorium with attorney David M. Grant, St. Louis giving the main address. His subject was "Commencement."

The William Alexander Family Award to the outstanding senior boy was given to Charles Shepard.

The C. C. Hubbard Family Award to the outstanding senior girl was awarded to Adlene Irving.

The Esser Jewelry Co. award to the outstanding senior from Saline County went to Nolan Jacques. The Sport Center award for the best school athlete went to Charles Shepard.

The Joseten Jewelry Co. award for the best school athlete went to Charles Whitney. Best in music award was given to Helen Herndon; best in commercial award to George Williams; best citizenship to Eugene Hayes; best in English award to Julia McMiller.

The Saline County Teachers Association Scholarship was awarded to Nolan Jacques.

The Democrat-Capital Presents Its Special Salute to the SAFB

In today's edition of The Democrat-Capital, we present a special tabloid section in a salute to the personnel of the Sedalia Air Force Base, who have assumed the task of our security and yet who are very much like Sedalians. In fact, they are now an inseparable part of our community.

The section contains a wealth of pictures and stories about the men, their families, their jobs, their over-all responsibilities and their goals. Those who attended the "open house" at the base yesterday will want to keep this section as a reminder of what they saw on their visit, and every reader will benefit by understanding the life of the air base personnel, our Air Force neighbors.

Nation Takes Look at Might Of Services

WASHINGTON, May 21.—The nation, emerging from a barrage of speeches on the mounting menace of Soviet power, took a look today at its own military strength.

Citizens by the millions swarmed to parade routes and milled around guns, tanks, ships, planes and weird missiles at the "open houses" of the military establishment on Armed Forces Day.

The purpose of all this—yesterday's somber warnings, today's display of American strength—was to keep interest alert to national defense at a time when there is no hot war.

Many of the speakers yesterday emphasized the swiftly expanding strength of Russia in the air. Gen. Nathan F. Twining, Air Force chief of staff, was one. He talked of the "great" bomber force and nuclear weapons possessed by the Soviets, of new faster-than-sound fighters in numbers.

But Gen. Alfred M. Gruenther, supreme commander in Europe, said he thought the Red air force is "quite a long way behind ours" in the long-range bomber category.

Such different views carried on into today.

Sen. Symington (D-Mo.), in an address at San Angelo, Tex., renewed his previously expressed warnings that the United States probably is behind Russia in the race for perfecting "the ultimate military weapon" a missile which can be fired from one continent against a target on another.

INSIDE STORIES

Seventeen-year-old Judith Blythe of England will be Sedalia's special visitor next school year when, as an exchange student, she becomes a Smith-Cotton senior. Her picture and some facts about her are on Page 5, Section 1.

The tables are reversed in a story on Page 1, young Shirley Yagel tells about her recent stay with five different families in Finland.

Did you ever see the collection of poems entitled "Myrtle Leaves"? It was written by a Sedalian, Mrs. Anna Stevens Dugan. Her life story is on Page 3, Section 1.

If you have a rural mailbox, read the advice of Postmaster Maurice Hogan on Page 9, Section 1.

Visitors Inspect Air Base

Some 15,000 People Are There to View Airplanes, Displays And New Buildings

Armed Forces Day throughout the United States was observed at the Sedalia Air Force Base Saturday when "open house" was held and in the neighborhood of 15,000 persons visited the base, the displays and talked with SAFB members on duty.

One apparent feature of Armed Forces Day in this area is that whenever the Sedalia Air Force Base hold an "open house" the communities up to the present time have been assured of a good rain on that day. Rain started falling at 8:50 a.m. Saturday and continued to 10:30 a.m. Weather cleared again and the automobiles began flowing through the gates. At about 3:20 in the afternoon the rains came again and lasted until after 5 p.m., and the crowd began to disperse.

In spite of the rain during the morning, many persons wore raincoats, other carried umbrellas and went on visiting the sights along the flight line, in the various hangers and other places of interest on the base. Others rode around the base in their cars and looked at the buildings, such as the airman's dormitories, the new base hospital, service men's club, NCO mess, wing headquarters, base headquarters and numerous other buildings.

The changes which have occurred over the past year, with new buildings having been built, roads repaired, and other projects completed, attracted the attention of the visiting taxpayers seeing what is needed for an up-to-date air base such as the SAFB. Numerous complimentary remarks were expressed over the looks of the base compared with past years, especially since grass has started growing in areas which in past years were great splashes of mud as the rains fell.

The "open house" began at 11 a.m. when the gates were opened to the public and ended at 5 p.m. Things which were seen were the big B-47 bombers, KC-97 refueling planes; a B-25 North American light bomber; a Lockheed jet trainer; P-2V Lockheed jet trainer; C-47 Douglas Cargo aircraft; C-45 Beech Cargo aircraft; a Civil Air Patrol L-5 plane of the Sedalia CAP Squadron; and a National Guard aircraft.

Visitors were permitted to visit the periodic maintenance hangar; parachute shop; base operations and weather station, engine building; field maintenance shops; ground power equipment; air refueling squadron operations; project headquarters; 486th Bomb Squadron operations building; static displays; the 487th and 488th Squadron operations buildings; the base theatre where motion pictures were shown; the NCO Mess; a training building; base supply building; installation shops and the Service Club.

A model plane flying program was also held.

Col. A. J. Beck, commander of the 340th Bomb Wing, and Col. Charles LeBlond, commander of the 340th Base Group, both were extremely happy with the program and the manner in which the "open house" was conducted by their men for the visitors.

The Missouri State Fair "jittneys," used during Fair Week to tour the Fair grounds, were loaned to the Air Force to be used on the base for the day. Small tractors were hooked to the "jittneys" and the visitors were given rides about the base.

At 5 p.m., after the crowd had left, an army of unsung heroes, 300 strong, began a task which the public did not see. These men swooped in on the parkway of the planes and began a task of dismantling of various stands, taking down signs, wheeling in various types of planes, switching the planes to their positions during the "Please turn to page 6, Column 7)

Navy Friends Have Visit At Wiley Home

By Miss Mary E. Tevebaugh
HOUSTONIA — Mr. and Mrs. Hans Petterson of Ripley, Ia., spent Tuesday and Wednesday morning in the Broadus Wiley home. Mr. Petterson and Milton Wiley were stationed together in the Navy. Milton will return to San Diego Saturday. On Wednesday evening the Wileys were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clay Houchen and Ralph Houchen for dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Orr and Miss Grace Orr, Mt. Leonard, were guests recently of Dr. and Mrs. C. L. Parkhurst.

Mr. and Mrs. John Tignor and three children and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hand and two children, all of Kansas City, were the weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hand.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Lowe and small son have moved in the garage apartment of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Messer Jr. Mr. Lowe is stationed at the Air Base.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Franklin, Marshall, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ben Martin. Mr. and Mrs. Willis Nutt, Green Ridge, recently visited the Martins and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Bradley of Kansas City were weekend guests of Mrs. Bradley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charley Masters.

The Rev. and Mrs. W. B. Hollingsworth, Waverly, were supper guests Sunday of the Tevebaughs.

Mrs. Ruth Packard and Major Washburn, St. Louis, were weekend guests of Mrs. John Harris, Sr. Other guests on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. John Harris, Jr. and son David and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Harris.

On Sunday Mrs. Lawrence Harris and Mrs. Sam May to Kansas City to Columbia, where they visited Sam May, Jr., and family. Mrs. Harris went on to Kansas City with her son, where she visited until Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Harris plan to leave the last of this week for Monterey, Calif., where they will visit their son Bill and family.

Bud Charles and friend, Kansas City, attended the wedding of his niece, Maxine Patterson, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Lewis of Buckner attended commencement in Houstonia Sunday night.

Youngsters Take to Music With Burst of Enthusiasm



The number of children taking music lessons in this country has increased sharply in the last decade. Big difference over the past is that most children, like this little girl, pick the instrument they want to play and study the kind of music they like best.

NEA Women's Editor

NEW YORK—(NEA)—For generations now, the association of kiddies with music lessons with the woodshed has been an American tradition, like pork-and-beans.

No red-blooded child was supposed to relish the notion of music lessons. He was conned into it by scheming parents and thereafter the household was rent with screams over music lessons, practice and the bills for these same lessons.

But the myth is being exploded by means of another all-American institution, the survey. A recent survey shows that far from detesting music lessons, the kiddies actually like them. Further, they pick their own poison and, according to the Wurlitzer Music Workshop, on it play either Bach or boogie according to their own personal liking. In only a few cases is long-haired music still superimposed on short-haired tastes.

In the last decade, the instrument playing population in this

country has nearly doubled. Youngsters account largely for the increase and most of these are the bumper crop of war babies.

Today, there are three million kids blowing or banging away at something and school bands are increasing ten per cent a year with a total of 40,000 bands right now.

Nearly 70 per cent of the children queried in this musical survey chose their own instruments. Of these, 52 per cent picked piano lessons; 23 per cent are studying violin; five per cent are playing the accordion and others are learn-

ing to play various band instruments.

Chief reason for the popularity of the piano seems to be that "nearly all the kids in my block play the piano." But most children pick an instrument on the basis of sound. And they find that the most rewarding aspect of music lessons is the recital.

The kids are divided fifty-fifty in their liking for popular vs. classical music. But all of them said they played the music they liked best and that the only thing they disliked about lessons was the monotony of playing the same piece over and over.

No one has asked the music teachers yet what they think about the kids. But the teachers might like to know that their popularity is in direct ratio to "crabbiness" or lack of it. And when the kids were given an opportunity to take a rap at their music teachers, most of them didn't.

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Eighth Graders Have Graduation Program At Houstonia School

The Houstonia Eighth Grade pupils held graduation exercises Wednesday night at the High School. The program was as follows: Processional, Mrs. Walter Fricke, Invocation, Rev. Floyd Frye, "Onward Christian Soldiers" and "On We Are Floating" by seventh and eighth grades. Address by Rev. W. J. Cox, Presentation of Awards, Supt. J. L. Sears, Presentation of Class, Miss Lula Wheeler, Presentation of Diplomas, Supt. J. L. Sears, "Follow The Glean" High School Chorus, Benediction, Rev. Frye, Recessional Mrs. Walter Fricke.

The graduates were: Joe Blackburn, Ray Dean Haley, Raymond Hayslip, Gordon Ray Morris, Elva Faye Charles, Mary Beth Schuler, Lydia June Alexander, Donald Eugene Simmons, Rodney Gail Crosswhite. Their motto was "Forever Onward". Class flower White carnation. Class colors Nile green and white. Ushers were Jean Meser, Marilyn Reid and Pamela Shireman.

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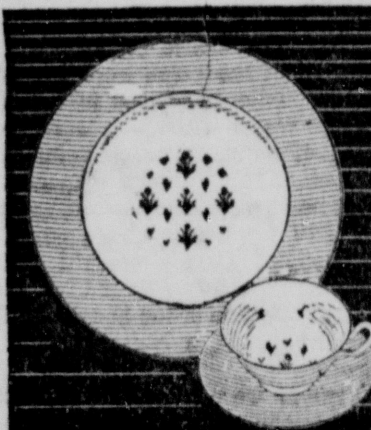
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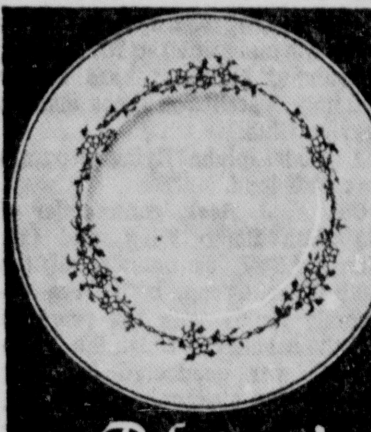
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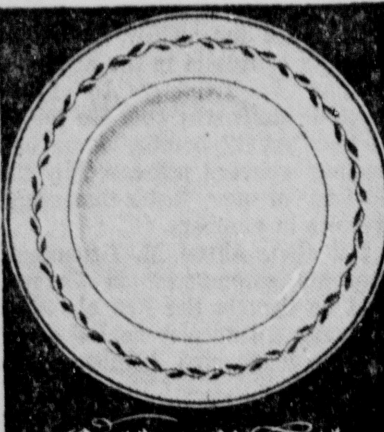
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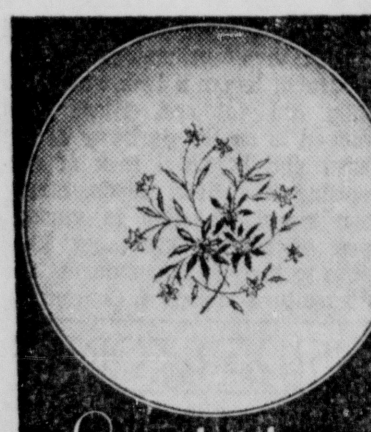
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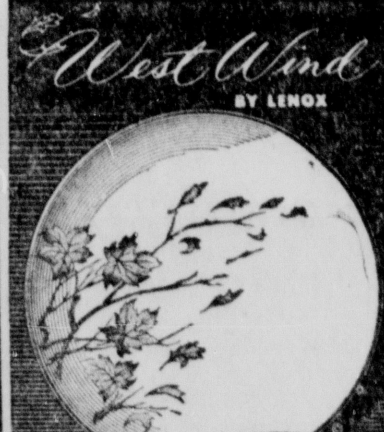
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At Dedication Of Eldorado Youth Camp

COLE CAMP — The following attended the dedication of the new Methodist Youth Camp at Eldorado Springs Saturday: Rev. and Mrs. H. A. Marshall, Rev. Willie Robinson, Charla Ann Kersey, Mary Lou Zimmerschied, Gail Harris, Sandra Bohling, Sharon Meyer and Carol Freund.

Dr. and Mrs. H. V. Enloe, Eldorado Springs, visited last week with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Morrow. They were accompanied by Mrs. A. W. Camderon, who spent several days in the Morrow home. The Rev. and Mrs. Fred Pulliam, Centertown, Mrs. B. L. Stark, visited Saturday in the home and Mrs. Camderon accompanied them to Centertown. Dr. E. D. Enloe, who had been visiting here left Sunday for Eldorado Springs to visit his brother, Dr. H. V. Enloe before returning to Paradise, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Phifer and sons, Mr. and Mrs. William Phifer visited in Lawrence, Kan. Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Gene Fewell and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Mussmann and twin daughters, Kansas City, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Mussmann, Ash Grove, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mussmann and Mrs. Ralph Patterson.

Out of town people attending funeral services for W. R. Mabry Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mabry, George Shull, Sweet Springs, Mr. and Mrs. William Mabry and family, Mr. and Mrs. Dell Mabry, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Farley, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Kuhlman, Fred Mertel, Irvin Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wooster, Mrs. Charles Grant, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Lumpe, Sedalia, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bush, Climax Springs, Mrs. Franzel Harper, Mrs. Anita Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Wise, Mrs. Mary Horn, Kansas City, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Simon and Beatrice, Bahner, Calbert Bush, Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Bush, Jr., Stover, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Hansbrough, Mrs. Marion Pittman, LaMonte, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Dille, Phillip Dille, Blackwater, Herman Wilson, Gilliam, Mrs. Clida Green, Daisy, Clinton, Mrs. Maude Gott, Kansas City.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Winn and Mrs. Birdie Schwall, Kansas City, were business guests here Friday. The following attended the 7th District meeting of the American Legion at Wellington Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. Clotus Jones and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Vern Deen Weymuth and son, Herbert Meyer, R. J. Tobason and Mrs. Mary Wymore, Mr. and Mrs. Grant Thomas attended the funeral of her aunt, Mrs. J. W. Shinell, Batesville, Ark., Thursday.

E. L. Eickhoff, Sr., Charles Fox, Sr. were business visitors in Warsaw Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Viets and family, Springfield, spent the week end with Dr. and Mrs. L. A. Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Viets.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hardin, Versailles, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Blaine, Sedalia, visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Clark. Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Riffe were Mr. and Mrs. Gentry Harms and son, Mrs. Laura Linville, Mr. and Mrs. Linville Harms and family, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Stratton and family, Glenford Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Paul E. Taylor and Sue Ellen.

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Mrs. H. L. Schroeder and Merlin, Walter Richter, Mrs. Ed Miesner, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Schroeder and family, Mr. and Mrs. Gerhardt Kaiser and family, Sedalia, attended Sunday church services at Immanuel Lutheran Church in Waverly. They were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Oversman and family. Jean Oversman, who spent the past week with her grandmother, Mrs. Schroeder, returned to her home.

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Letters Arrive to Remind—

Mrs. Anna Stevens Dugan Had Happy Life As Sedalia Poet But Now About Forgotten

Two letters within ten days of each other to The Sedalia Democrat about the literary career Anna Adelia Stevens Dugan spurred memories by relatives and friends and brought to light the very beautiful volume of poems published by Mrs. Dugan in 1885. Publishing under the name of May Myrtle, this book of poems was entitled "Myrtle Leaves," and was dedicated as follows: "To those dear friends whose generous commendation and kind criticism has been my best inspiration, this volume is lovingly and gratefully dedicated, by the author."

The book was published in Sedalia by H. Swalley, printer and binder at the Democrat Co., Steam Printing House, Second and Main. The edges of the pages and the design on the cover were of gold leaf.

Mrs. Dugan's book contained some 150 poems many of them dedicated to friends. The first poem in the book is "Missouri" and beneath the title the note: "Delivered before the Missouri Press Association at its Seventh Annual Meeting at Carthage, Mo., May 8th, 1883."

Another of the poems carries the title, "A Good Man," and was written in memory of General George R. Smith, the founder of Sedalia.

Anna Adelia Stevens was the daughter of Myron and Polly Ann Robinson Stevens who were married in Central Easter Pa., on Jan. 1, 1835. The home where she was born was on the banks of the Susquehanna River between Scranton and Wilkes-Barre, Pa. She was one of a family of four girls and one boy. Her sisters were Elizabeth, Sophia and Flora, and the brother, Chandler R. Stevens, was the father of Norman Stevens, who resides at 1212 West Broadway.

Annie, as she was called by her family, loved the Susquehanna River and perhaps from here came the first of her poetic thoughts

Billy and Patty Ball attended the TV show at Springfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Linss, Belleville, Ill., Mr. and Mrs. Fred Balke were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Balke and family.

Out of town people attending the funeral of Carl Heibner, Warsaw, Tuesday were: Mr. and Mrs. Ed Heibner, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Fowler, Mrs. W. J. Kreisel and Wanda, Jim Garrison, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Kullman, Mrs. A. T. Tucker, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Parks, Mrs. A. H. Wenig, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Junge, Misses Helen and Lillie Kreisel, Mrs. Dora Owens, Mrs. O. C. Hunter, Mrs. Ida Renken, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Kreisel, Mr. and Mrs. Hillard Wilkens.

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inspired by the beauty about her.

It was shortly before the Civil War that the Stevens family came to Missouri when Sedalia was a jumping off place. The railroad only came as far as Georgetown at that time and so they stopped there, but a short time later moved to Cedar Bluff on Flat Creek. It was here they built a log cabin. Chandler Stevens went west on horseback across the plains to California, returning to Missouri in 1865 bringing with him some gold nuggets. Later the family home was built, and it is still occupied by some of the Stevens family.

Anna Adelia Stevens was married to George E. Dugan in July, 1872. Mr. Dugan was a house, sign and ornamental painter, learning the business under his father. He came to Sedalia in 1872 and began an extensive business employing 12 to 25 men. Later he went into the paint and wall-paper business.

Mrs. Dugan was a woman of exceptional brilliance and literary talent. She had a commanding personality, was gracious and proud. People of the town looked up to her and she wore beautiful and expensive clothes. She was frequently seen riding around Sedalia in her carriage.

The son, Ernest Dugan, went into the George W. Dugan Wall-paper and Paint Store and the business is today carried on by his son, George E. Dugan, and sons. The daughter, LaPette, was a teacher, and inherited her mother's literary ability. She was married to George McKowan, and moved to Great Falls, Mont.

Another book published by Mrs. Dugan was a love story in poetry, "Muriel's Love Sacrifice." There seemed to be some literary rivalry between her and her husband's sister, Miss Elizabeth Dugan, who also wrote poetry and other things for a local paper under the pen

name of Rosa Pearl.

Mrs. Dugan died in January, 1917.

Although her book of poems, "Myrtle Leaves," is in the Sedalia Public Library, she and her work had practically been forgotten by the people of her community. New generations had never even heard of the book and the few books that still exist have been put away with treasures of the past belonging to relatives and friends. But the book did not stay just within the boundaries of her own home town, for from Mrs. W. T. Baker in Salina, Okla., came a letter on April 2, 1955. She wrote that she, by chance, had come into possession of a volume of poems written by Mrs. George E. Dugan and published in the year 1885. She spoke of the poem, "Missouri," and many others dedicated to citizens of Sedalia which seemed to make this collection Sedalia's own.

On April 12 came another letter from a great-niece, Alyce F. Mayes, Kansas City, who was seeking information concerning the writing of Anna Adelia Dugan. She believed her aunt had been a reporter for the social column around the turn of the century and knew she was a poetess writing under the pen name of Mae Myrtle.

And so from one contact to another, from relatives and friends, who faintly remembered Anna Adelia Dugan, came little by little the story of a woman who had played such a great part in Sedalia during the last of the 19th century and perhaps the beginning of the 20th century. A woman who not only life a history of the life and the people of her state and community in a volume of poetry but who has left descendants, grandchildren and great-grandchildren, who are carrying on as fine citizens in the town she loved so much.

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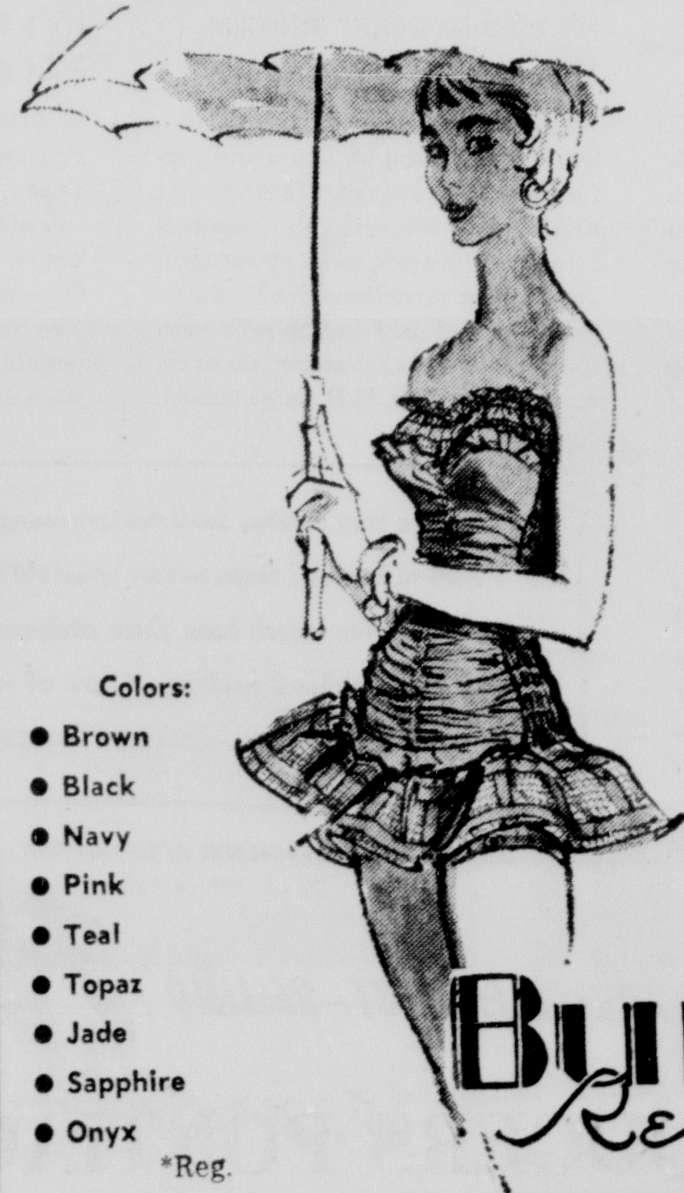
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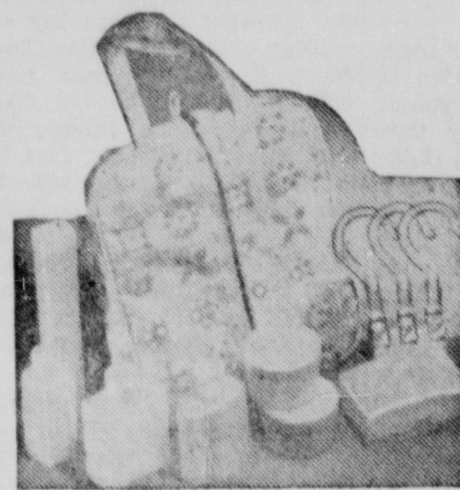
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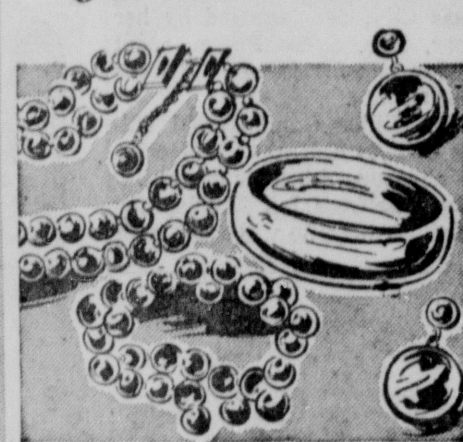
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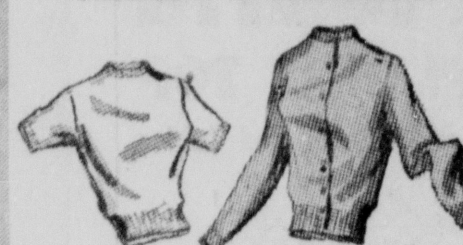


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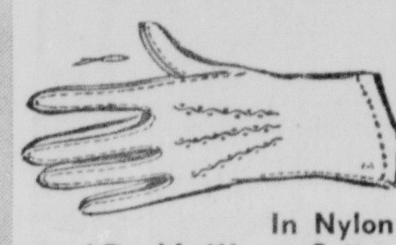
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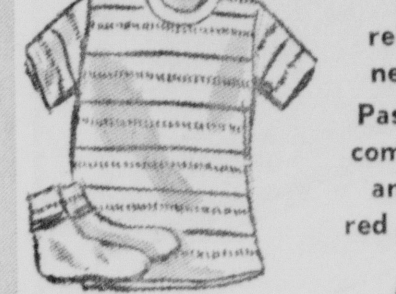


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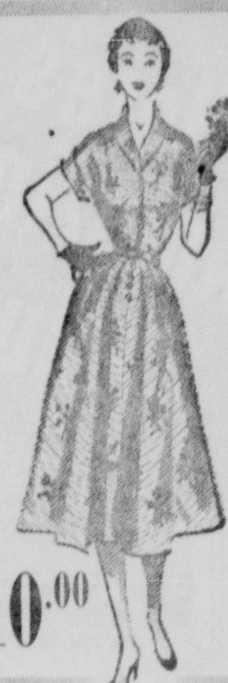
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SYRACUSE—Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Anthony received word from their son, A-2c James Anthony that after leaving Park Air Force Base, Calif., he spent several days in Honolulu. The next flight was to Wake Island and then Tokyo.

Sgt. Billy Gene Ritchey, who recently returned from 13 months service in Korea, received his discharge last week at Camp Carson, Colo. He spent the weekend with his aunt, Mrs. Anna Fry and then returned to Kansas City, where he is employed. Other Sunday dinner guests were: Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Parkhurst, Columbia, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Ritchey, Kansas City, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dix and Woodrow, Tipton, Mr. and Mrs. Dock Ritchey, Syracuse, and an Army buddy of Ritchey's, Bob Young, Pilot Grove.

Mrs. Nettie Campbell was called to Dallas, Tex., by the illness of her sister, Mrs. Beulah Wendleton.

Miss Delores Roesler, Kansas City, visited Friday and Saturday with her grandmother, Mrs. James Myers and Saturday night and Sunday with her other grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Roesler, Ottumwa. She is leaving Kansas City, May 27, for Houston, Tex., where she has employment.

Mr. and Mrs. Newton Ellis, Mr. and Mrs. Marlin Schroeder and Jane spent Sunday at Swope Park, Kansas City.

Mr. and Mrs. George Peoples and Miss Beulah Mae left Friday on a ten day trip through the western states.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Boody, Judy and Don Hotsenpiller and Marian Chapman visited Mr. and Mrs. Bob Taylor and family and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Taylor, Springfield, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Norton and Jimmie, Sedalia, visited Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Johansen, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Edmond Stahl, Columbia, spent the weekend at home.

Syracuse grade school won first place in three weight groups at the track meet at Tipton and second in the fourth group, Syracuse. Tipton, Fortuna, St. Andrew's and Harrison schools were entered. Syracuse faculty and their families attended a pot luck supper at Fortuna grade school. The occasion was a farewell supper for Ira Grubb and family who are moving to Slater. All members of the Tipton district attended.

L. A. Palmer was an honor guest at a contributive birthday dinner held Sunday at Liberty Park. His birthday was May 18. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Lester Palmer, Jr., and family, Sedalia, Mrs. Morrie Schroeder, Eldon, Mr. and Mrs. Charley Mummert and Mr. and Mrs. Palmer.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Gibson, Kansas City, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Speed Poage, spent Saturday and Sunday at the Lake of the Ozarks.

R. V. Williams and Harold Williams went to Kansas City Monday for a checkup with their doctors.

Wayne Jeffress left Monday for Meadville where he will work with



A. B. Warren

A. B. Warren Presides Over Pharmacists

A. B. Warren, 1108 South Osage, who has served the past year as president of the American Animal Health Pharmaceutical Association, presided at the sixth annual convention and seminar held in Minneapolis, Minn., May 15-17.

The attendance was approximately 175 pharmacists from many states and the province of Ontario, Canada.

Outstanding speakers on the program included Dr. N. M. Ferguson, Dean of the College of Pharmacy, University of Houston, Dr. Willard J. Hadley, Dean of the College of Pharmacy, University of Minnesota, Dr. Mark Welsch, Research Director, veterinary division of Lederle Laboratories, Harold

Smith, executive secretary, Ontario Retail Pharmacists Assn., Toronto, Ontario, Canada, and many others.

Officers elected for the coming year are: Leo J. McMahon, publisher of Midwestern Druggist and Animal Healthmates and also a member of the staff of K. C. University College of Pharmacy; president-elect, Vincent Kenjosi, retail pharmacist of Minneapolis; and first vice-president, Paul Woolfgang, E. R. Squibb & Sons, New York City. O. J. Cloughly, president of St. Louis Wholesale Drug Co., was elected honorary president.

This association was organized six years ago to promote animal health pharmacy as a curricular course in colleges of pharmacy and to promote sales of animal health products in pharmacies. At the present time 33 colleges do offer animal health pharmacy as an elective subject.

One of the highlights of the meeting occurred on Monday when about 41 senior students from the University of Minnesota were luncheon guests.

The next annual convention and seminar will be held in Toronto, Canada, and the following year some plans have been made to hold it in Ft. Worth, Tex.

Warren was elected chairman of the executive committee for the coming year.

Recognition Program—

Striped College Celebrates Last Day With Basket Dinner

The Striped College School had its last day of school with a basket dinner followed by a program given by the pupils under the direction of their teachers, Mrs. Don McQueen and Mrs. Clarence Leiter.

The program began with songs, "Spring Is Near" and "Open Up Your Heart" by the entire school; "Welcome" was given by three girls; exercise, "Folk Who Object to Vacation" by several boys; play, "Elder Makes a Call" by four girls and one boy; recitations, "The Reason" Sheila Linville; and "The Surprise" by Cheryl Hinkle; play, "Mrs. Williams Cleans House" by Patty Rodewald, Edna Dillon, Judy Hopkins, Kim Dabner and Ralph Eye; recitations, "The Motto" by Patsy Kroeger and "Don't Tell On Me" by Michial Dabner; play, "The Cripples" by Caroline Larson, Ronnie Hickman, Mike Larson, Eddie Shipley and William Finley; recitations, "A Busy Boy" by Mike Givnyms and "A Reformer" by Allen Litz; play, "Joe's Snake Story" by three small boys; Recitations, "Almost A Man" by David Hopkins and "A Good Prospect" Danny Joe

Perkins; play, "A Present for Father," by Marilyn Green and Jo Ann Leiter; "Closing Speech" by Martha Walters and song, "This Old House" by the entire school. Mrs. Don McQueen presented the following pupils in her room reading circles: Caroline Staley, Joyce Kroeger, Virginia Leiter; William Finley, Leland Finley, Ralph Eye, Edna Dillon, Mary Eye, Margaret Bohon, Kim Dabner, John Dale Hansen, Mike Larson, Jerry Smith and Charla Dowdy. Carolee Shirley received a "Life Membership Certificate."

Mrs. McQueen then gave gifts to the following for perfect attendance, Mary Bohon, Kim Dabner and Ralph Eye.

Mrs. Clarence Leiter presented the following pupils of her room reading circles, Patsy Kroeger, Cheryl Hinkle, Raymond Walters, Michael Riley, Henry Perkins, Phillips Rodewald, Marilyn Green, Jo Ann Leiter and Don Eye. She also presented gifts for perfect attendance to Johnny Bohon and Allen Litz.

Mrs. Leiter received a gift from her fourth grade pupils and also gave each one of them a gift. They are Jo Ann Leiter, Don Eye, Tommie Dee Carver, Harvey and Martha Walters.

Mrs. McQueen and Mrs. Leiter were both re-employed for the coming school year. Mrs. McQueen to teach the fifth, sixth, seventh and eighth grades and Mrs. Leiter for the first, second, third and fourth grades.

After the program the school board served ice cream cones. For the coming year members of the school board will be Fred Staley, Jr., G. Ernest Stevens and Leo Leiter.

Officers elected for the coming year are: Leo J. McMahon, publisher of Midwestern Druggist and Animal Healthmates and also a member of the staff of K. C. University College of Pharmacy; president-elect, Vincent Kenjosi, retail pharmacist of Minneapolis; and first vice-president, Paul Woolfgang, E. R. Squibb & Sons, New York City. O. J. Cloughly, president of St. Louis Wholesale Drug Co., was elected honorary president.

This association was organized six years ago to promote animal health pharmacy as a curricular course in colleges of pharmacy and to promote sales of animal health products in pharmacies. At the present time 33 colleges do offer animal health pharmacy as an elective subject.

One of the highlights of the meeting occurred on Monday when about 41 senior students from the University of Minnesota were luncheon guests.

The next annual convention and seminar will be held in Toronto, Canada, and the following year some plans have been made to hold it in Ft. Worth, Tex.

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Donald Pottorff

Donald Pottorff Name Outstanding Citizen At Green Ridge School

On Friday, May 13, 1955 at the high school auditorium in Green Ridge, Donald Pottorff was selected for outstanding citizenship award at the local school.

Donald is a member of the Green Ridge F. F. A. chapter. He has had four pig and pork production projects in the last year. At present he has a dairy calf production project and a milk production project. He is on the leadership committee.

Donald is a freshman at Green Ridge and a Green Hand in the F. F. A. He is now 14 and plans to enlarge his farming scope so that he will be eligible for the State Farmer Award. He shows great possibilities for leadership in his F. F. A. chapter and in the community.

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1 Roan Cow, 8 yrs. old (bred)	1 Roan Cow, 3 yrs. old (pasture bred) by side
1 White Cow, 6 yrs. old (bred)	1 Roan Heifer (yearling)
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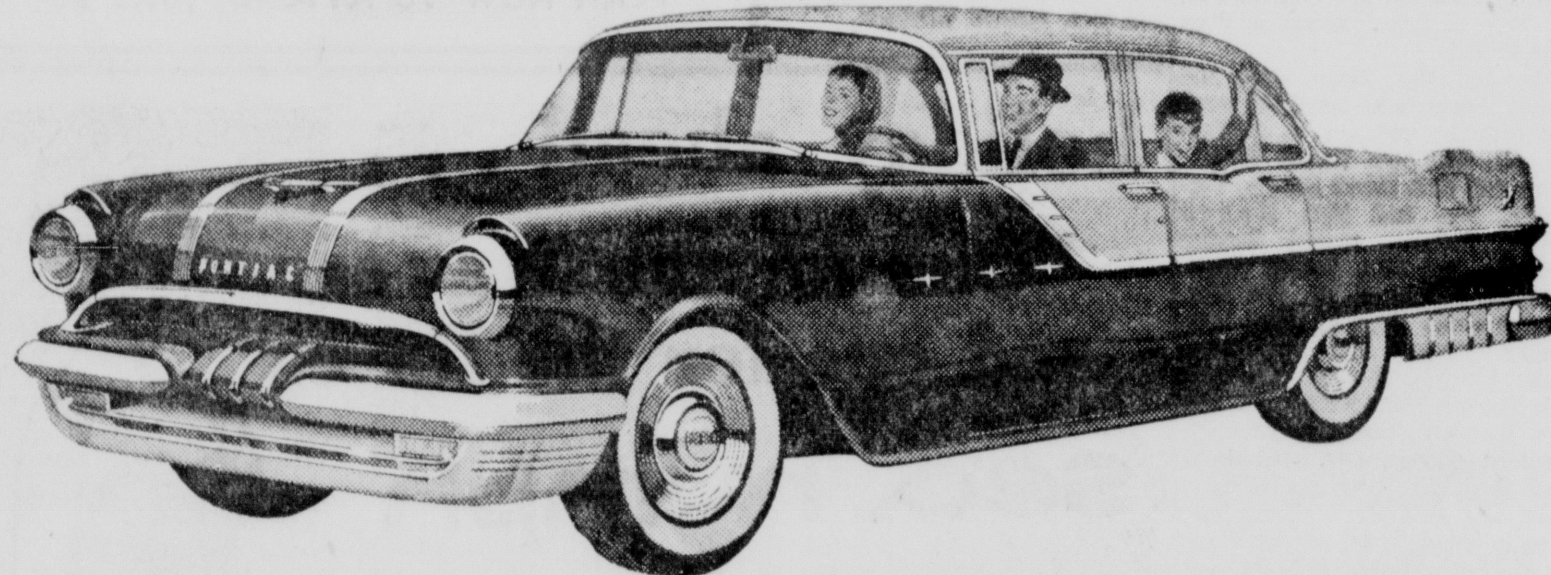
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School Group Of Warsaw Picnic Here

By Jane Van Horn
WARSAW—Miss Virginia Mellon and Mrs. Gay Franks and Mrs. E. H. Stewart accompanied the fifth and sixth grades to Sedalia on Friday for their picnic. They made a tour of the Meadow Gold Co., Coca-Cola Bottling Co. and went to the Liberty Park for a picnic lunch. Afternoon they went roller skating and returned home a tired and happy group.

Mrs. Dora Johnson who has been visiting on Pleasant Hill, Mo., and who recently underwent a physical checkup in Kansas City, is home this week to see her only granddaughter, Miss Dorothy Ann Johnson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Houston Johnson, Frisco, graduate from high school.

Miss Marcia Swinney, home agent for Bentot County, spent the weekend at Springfield, where she visited friends and sorority sisters at the college campus.

Mrs. Oral Van Horn and Mrs. Dorothy Schneider were in Springfield on business on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Powell and children, Kansas City, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Yeager over the weekend. Other callers Sunday were Mrs. Clyde Bybee and Mrs. Leland Whitaker and son.

Raymond Buckley is in Washington, D.C., on business this week.

Miss Celia and Sandra Ferguson, Kansas City, spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Ferguson.

Mrs. Paula Wright and Dianne are spending a month visiting with relatives and friends in Los Angeles and San Francisco, Calif. Mrs. Ronald Gatliff is working at the Warsaw Lumber Co. in her absence.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde McCarty, Sr., visited in the home of their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde McCarty, Jr., in their new home in Rolla over the weekend.

Jimmy Van Horn spent Tuesday night with Mike Martin.

Mrs. Quintilla Ferguson left Saturday for Branson, Mo., to care for Mrs. Wayne Ferguson, who recently underwent an operation.

Art Cunningham was taken in the Reser ambulance Monday morning to the Veterans Hospital at Wadsworth, Kan. - Mrs. Cora Cunningham, his mother, left in the afternoon to be with him.

Mrs. Bertha Jones returned Friday from St. Louis after visiting her son, Carl Wilson, and family.

Father's planning to have his cronies over? Serve hot potato salad surrounded with steaming hot frankfurters and lots of pickles and mustard.

Making Plans on Both Sides—

McLaughlins Make Preparations to Host English Girl During Her Year's Visit

Judith Jane Blythin, over in Croydon, Surrey, England, is making big plans to come to the United States in August and live in a Sedalia home — but her plans are not one bit bigger than the plans being made by Mary Alice (Punky) McLaughlin.

Punky is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Philip McLaughlin, 500 South Grand, and for a long time she has been after her parents to have a girl from somewhere who has been accepted for an American Field Service International Scholarship to live in their home. Friends of theirs in another state had been doing this and she wanted to, too.

So finally Mary Alice's mother and dad told her they would see what they could do and the American Association of University Women of which her mother is a member, became interested. They began trying to get funds and found the entire town ready to co-operate. Now everybody, and particularly Punky, is looking forward to having Judith become a citizen of Sedalia for a year and graduate from their Smith-Cotton High School.

Judith was born Sept. 8, 1933, and will be 17 about the time she enters her senior year. She is blonde, about five feet four, weighs about 129 pounds and according to the headmistress of the Croydon High School for Girls, where she has been attending school, she has a charming personality and courteous manners.

Her mother, Bertha Constantine Blythin, lives in Croydon, and her father, Charles Frederick Blythin, an architect in private practice, died in 1953. When Judith was barely 12 months old the war broke out. Her mother took her and went to South Wales, where they remained until May, 1945. She had attended private school for 2½ years and lived on a small holding on the coast of Glamorganshire. Thus she grew up with the knowledge of country life and liked it. Her father was serving abroad as a major with the English forces and at the end of the war the family returned to Croy-



Judith Blythin

don. Her father's death came after a long illness.

It was May, 1945, that she first went to Croydon High School. From her father she inherited an artistic sense with an ability to turn it to practical creative use, and from her mother she acquired a sound knowledge of homecraft during the time spent on the Welsh farm. From both parents came her liking for active games. Consequently her hobbies and activities make a long list starting with the flute which she began to learn three years ago and hopes next term to take Grade VIII of the Associated Board of Music examinations. She is a member of the school orchestra, the East Surrey Symphony Orchestra and a private orchestra. She has for several years made properties for school plays, done dressmaking and embroidery and has tried several handicrafts, being particularly interested in traditional English designs, which she uses on a hand-loom.

When it comes to games, she likes tennis, badminton and hockey, having been hockey and form tennis captain several times. She belongs to a badminton club and a tennis club and she also likes to swim.

In school Judith is a member of a dramatic society, music society and debating society, and she has a very satisfactory school record. She is modest about her achievements and capabilities and refreshingly sincere in her opinions, according to the headmistress of her school.

Judith has visited a number of other countries, Holland in 1950, France, Germany and Austria in 1951 and Holland at Easter and Germany during the summer of 1954.

Now she plans to come to the United States — not just for a visit, but to live for an entire school year in Sedalia. Punky can hardly wait and the students at Smith-Cotton are anxious to take her into their school life so that when she goes back to England she will have much to tell of life in America. Too, they hope from her they will gather a bit of what life is like in England.

Nicknames Are Catching

JACKSON, Mich. (AP) — Southern Michigan Prison officials say their huge nickname file is a surprisingly good tracer. They say few inmates manage to avoid one.

As a result, the files have such colorful names as Horsecollar, Hogjaw, Jughead, Bad-Eye and Juicehead.



4-H Round-Up

By Jim Perry
Assistant County Agent

4-H Council Meets

The Pettis County 4-H Council will meet on Tuesday, June 7, in the Assembly Room of the county courthouse. The meeting will be highlighted by a skit prepared by the Van Natta 4-H Club. Final plans will need to be made for the Chamber of Commerce picnic on July 26.

Livestock and Dairy Judging Events

Dairy and Livestock Judging Training Days are scheduled for June 26 and 27. These events have been prepared to go into the fundamentals of judging hoping that it will be particularly useful to younger members.

The Dairy Judging schedule is as follows:

10:30-11:30—Earl Wood farm, located 1¼ mile east of Beaman.
1:00-2:00—Paul Selkens farm, located ½ mile west and ¼ mile south of Smithton.

The Livestock Judging schedule is as follows:

10:30-11:30—John Sneed farm, located about ½ mile north on the Engineer Street road and two miles east on blacktop.
1:00-2:00—Bill Lamm farm, located four miles east on Highway 50.

2:30-3:30—Raymond Kahrs and Fred Lovercamps, located about two miles south of Smithton.

Members and project leaders should bring a pencil and paper and a sack lunch.

4-H County Livestock Show

4-H County Livestock Show will be needed the first week in June. Mr. Pack, Farm Bureau manager and secretary of the Pettis County 4-H Livestock Show, will need these ads by that time so that the catalogs can be prepared.

I hope that 4-H members will be mindful of the work that is being done by the livestock and

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dairy committees as well as the project leaders. Without their work, we could not have 4-H County Livestock Show.

The business men of Pettis County should be complimented for their cooperation in purchasing advertising in the Show Catalog. The money raised from advertising pays the premiums and expenses of the show.

County Judging Day

Miss O'Brian and I hope that 4-H members are preparing for the County Judging Event on June 25. County judging teams in Clothing, Food Preparation, Food Preservation, Home Furnishings, Home

Grounds and Vegetables will be selected at that time. Project leaders and parents should help remind their members of this date. Since it is a change from the way it has been done in the past, we would hate for a member to miss the opportunity for judging.

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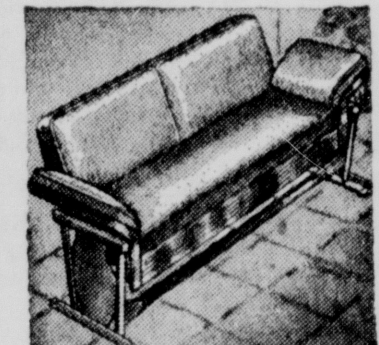
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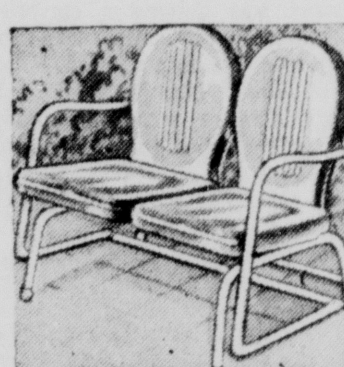
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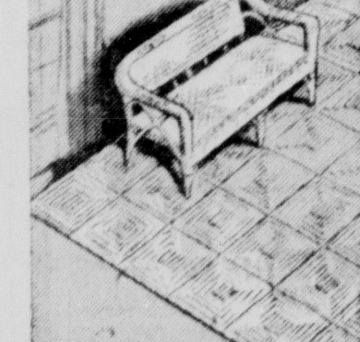
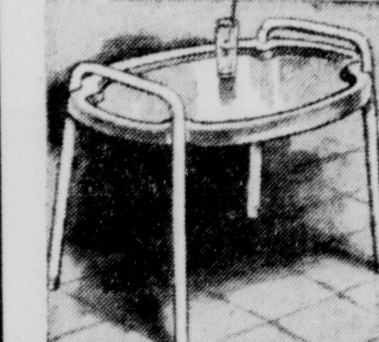
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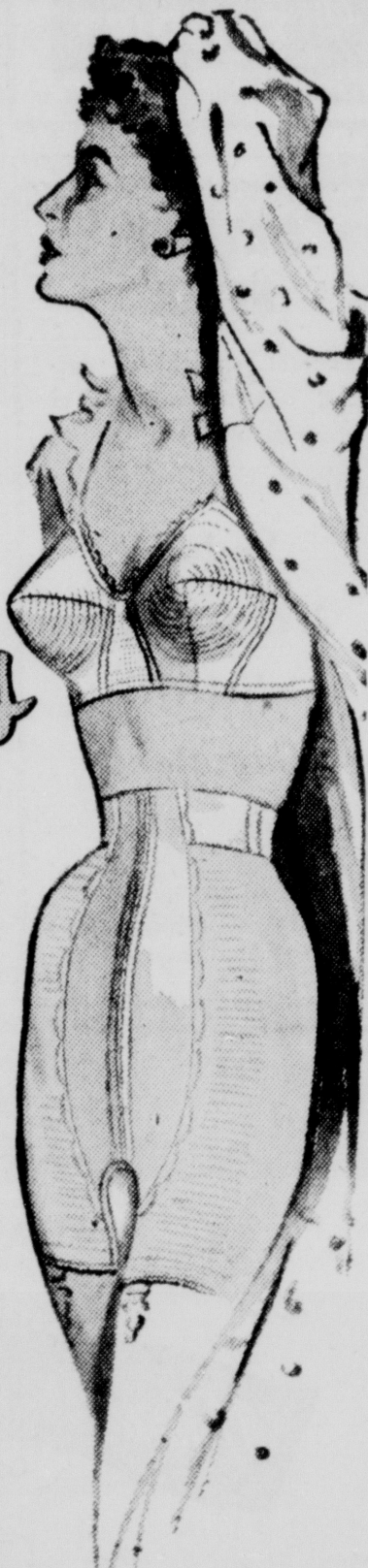
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Smithton Has Graduation For 2 Grades

By B. B. Ihrig

SMITHTON — Smithton elementary school held its graduating exercises in the school auditorium, May 17 at 8 p.m.

The program included: interlude of music, Miss Anderson; entrance of graduates: opening prayer, Rev. E. L. Rathert; song, "God of Our Fathers," sixth grade; solo, "School Days," Faye Reid; trumpet trio, "Peggy O'Neil," sixth graders, Gordon Sutherland, Jimmy Sawford, Dale Monsees; presentation of sixth grade by Mrs. Franklin; presentation of certificates, Mr. Wyss; presentation of eighth grade, Mr. Pate; presentation of certificates, Superintendent McKee; song, "America the Beautiful," eighth grade; closing prayer, Rev. E. L. Rathert.

The sixth grade graduates are: Dale Sutherland, Jay Dee Busick, Vincent Siegel, Jo Ann Arnold, Ruth Hedrick, Kaye Griffith, Wanda Biggs, Carolyn D. Griffith, George Schutte, Claude McMullin, Wilma Quint, Jane Branstetter, Dale Monsees, Dickie Dittmer, Charles Bulfemeier, Dorothy Stout, Sandra Bueckner, Viola Ann Dawson, Virginia Turner, Kay Dye, Kenneth McMullin, Robert Lee Porter, Jimmy Lee Curry, Jimmie Perry, John Lippert, Jr., Ervin Bass Faye Reid, Georgetta Hicks, Lavern Green, Glenda Teter, Sharon Steele, Diana Hiltburg, Judy Ann Hickey, Junior Culp, Richard Adams, Margaret Morris, Corrine Clark, Paul Hedrick, Junior Hedrick.

The eighth grade graduates are: Garry Nichols, Nina O'Neil, Viola Moon, Sharon Sanders, Mary Margaret Eads, Barbara Ellen Arnold, Lyle McMullin, Carl Richard Anderson, Jay Smith, Glee Shull, Barbara Shout, Alice Closser, Charles Bybee, Kathy Hoehns, Reva Marie Bremer, Billy Raines, Fern Frerking, Norm, Greer, Bobby Smith, Loretta Hedrick, Linda Demand, Anita Johnson, Agnes May Anderson, Janice Grimes, Nance Homean, Dorothy Knox, Max Kahrs, Earl Knox, Dixie Van Steenburgh, Robert LaVern Cooper, Nephew Yeager.

Mr. Max Swabe and his mother, Mrs. G. W. Swabe, Columbia, Mo., brought Mrs. L. M. Stotts, San Francisco, Calif., to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Demand on Friday, May 6. Mr. Swabe was formerly Representative in Congress for this district and his mother was Miss Lula Stotts, who once taught in the Smithton School.

Mrs. Charles Kahrs gave a luncheon for Mrs. Stotts on Wednesday and Miss Emma Monsees had an afternoon party for her on Thursday. Mrs. Earl Albers gave a luncheon for her on Saturday. She also visited Mrs. W. E. Selken, Miss Clara Farmer, and Mrs. J. V. Harris, Sedalia. On Monday, May 16, Dr. and Mrs. L. E. Meador, Springfield, came for Mrs. Stotts and took her to their home in Springfield for a visit.

George DeWan from the state of California spent a short time in Smithton this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Vic Yeager are the parents of a son born May 20. Mrs. R. C. Axson, formerly Nancy Kay Monsees, Des Moines, Ia., her son, Mitchell Ralph, and daughter, Kay Irene, came last week for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kalo Monsees. Mr. Axson is industrial salesman for Sinclair Oil Co. over the western half of the state of Iowa. He will visit in the Monsees home over the Memorial holiday and return home with his family.

Oklahoma Wins Big 7 Net Crown; Mizou 2nd

LAWRENCE, Kan., May 21 (AP) — The Oklahoma Sooners won the Big Seven Conference tennis championship today with a team score of 16 points. Missouri placed second with nine points.

Kansas was third with eight points, followed by Colorado, the defending champion, with seven Iowa State five, Kansas State three, and Nebraska one.

LODGE NOTICES

Job's Daughters of Bethel No. 15, Sedalia, Missouri, will meet for regular session on Wednesday, May 25, at the Masonic Temple at 7:30 p. m.

Sue McNeely, H. Q. Judith Curran, Recorder.

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OBITUARIES

Mrs. Leatie Yokley

Mrs. Leatie M. Yokley, 72, 1012 East 20th, was found dead about 8 a. m. Saturday by neighbors. Neighbors had noticed her slumped in her chair on the porch yesterday, but they thought she was asleep.

She was born in Sedalia July 15, 1882, daughter of David D. and Dora Hammond. She was married to John C. McGrady March 28, 1900. Mr. McGrady died July 30, 1932. On Nov. 29, 1933 she was married to Amos Yokley who also preceded her in death.

Mrs. Yokley was a member of the Royal Neighbors of America, Camp No. 607, and the Federated Congregational Presbyterian Church.

She is survived by: one daughter, Mrs. Orby Robertson, Independence; one son, Frank McGrady, Kansas City; two sisters, Mrs. Frank Baslee, 663 East 16th, and Mrs. Nellie White, 669 East 16th; four brothers, L. L. and E. K. Hammond, both of Fresno, Calif., M. M. Hammond, Warsaw, and Otis Hammond, 659 East 16th; four grand children; and one great grandchild. A son, Eldon McGrady, preceded her in death four years ago.

Funeral services will be held at the Gillespie Funeral Home at 2 p. m. Monday with burial in the Memorial Park Cemetery.

Russell C. Maag, staff soloist, will sing "Beyond the Sunset" and "What a Friend We Have in Jesus," with Miss Lillian Fox at the organ.

The body is at the Gillespie Funeral Home.

Willis Walker Fry

Willis Walker Fry, Smithton, died at 6:15 a. m. Saturday at the Bothwell Hospital, where he had been a patient since Sunday.

Mr. Fry was born at Clifton City on Feb. 12, 1880, the son of the late George W. and Martha Jennings Fry. He was raised at Clifton City and was married to Flossie Elizabeth Laws near Ottumwa, who died in 1938. He was engaged in farming in Central Missouri.

Surviving are: two sons, Herbert and Walker Fry, Detroit; three daughters, Mrs. Fern Ford, Detroit, Mrs. Zella Blair, Independence, and Mrs. Mary Yount, Sedalia; four grandchildren; four great-grandchildren; two brothers, Wilford and Joseph Fry; and three sisters, Mrs. Marina Edwards, Smithton, and Mrs. Cora King, and Mrs. Ida Mae Corson, both of Sedalia.

A sister, Mrs. Eliza Ann Corson, died April 23.

The body is at the McLaughlin chapel where services will be held at 10 a. m. Monday.

Burial will be in Crown Hill Cemetery.

Mrs. Clara Olive Hall

Mrs. Clara Olive Hall, 40, died in Newark, N.J., Wednesday after a prolonged illness, at her home. She was a former resident of Sweet Springs.

She was born Dec. 27, 1905, the daughter of the late James and Orpha Turner. She married Robert Hall and has resided in Newark for the past 25 years.

Mrs. Hall was a former member of the Sweet Springs Christian Church. She left no children but is survived by her brothers, J. W. Turner and L. D. Turner, Sweet Springs, and B. H. Turner, Odessa, and sisters, Mrs. Leona Guthrie, Philadelphia, Pa., Mrs. Mary Cassing, Joliet, Ill., and Mrs. Gladys Bottill, Chandler, Ariz.

Funeral services will be held Sunday at 2:30 p. m. at the Parker Funeral Home, Sweet Springs, with the Rev. Gilbert Verian, of the Marcelline Christian Church, officiating. Burial will be in the Fairview Cemetery at Sweet Springs.

Mrs. Nadine Vogelsmeier will play the piano and Mrs. Hugh Hill, Mrs. Harry Smith, Harry Smith, and Edwin Akeman will sing "Abide With Me" and "In the Sunset."

Pallbearers will be Charles Barmidan, Edwin Barmidan, John Barmidan, Jerry Barmidan, Raymond Bray and Hall Senter.

C. L. Weseloh Funeral

Funeral services for Charles L. Weseloh, 806 East Ninth, who died at Bothwell Hospital Wednesday, were held at 2:30 p. m. Saturday at the Gillespie Funeral Home, the Rev. Elmer Hobbs, pastor of the First Methodist Church, officiating.

Russell Maag sang "God Will Take Care of You" and "Beyond the Sunset." Mrs. C. D. Demand was at the organ.

Burial was in Crown Hill Cemetery.

Mrs. Bessie Amos

Mrs. Bessie Amos, 66, wife of Le-on Amos, died at Bothwell Hospital at 11:00 a. m. Friday, after an illness of a week.

Mrs. Amos was born April 26, 1889, at LaMonte, the daughter of the late Sterling and Margaret Berry. She was married to Leon Amos Nov. 29, 1917.

Surviving are: a daughter, Mrs. O. C. Lewis, 113 South Grand; a stepson, Lowell Amos, 1010 West Fourth; four grandchildren, Mrs. Robert Winley, Harlingen, Tex., Sterling Laughlin, Kansas City, and Dick and Shirley Amos, 1010 West Fourth; a great-granddaughter, Judy Kay Laughlin, Chicago; two sisters, Mrs. Jane Herndon, 1015 South Barrett, and Mrs. Cora Ward, Rolla; and two brothers, Ivan Berry, 1824 East Ninth, and Thomas Berry, Detroit, Mich.

Two sisters, Cora and Dessie, and a brother, Andy Berry, preceded her in death.

Mrs. Amos united with the First Baptist Church early in life.

Funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon at the McLaughlin Chapel, with the Rev. William Morgan, pastor of the Bethlehem Baptist Church, officiating.

Mrs. Charles Farley will sing "Sweet Hour of Prayer" and "The Lord's Prayer," with Mrs. Mae Moser at the piano.

Pallbearers will be Frank Seifner, Frank Moore, Ted Homan, Theodore Klindworth, John Shumaker and Charles Gardner.

Burial will be in Crown Hill Cemetery.

Mrs. Estella Vaughan Legg

Funeral services were held at the Williams Funeral Home in California for Mrs. Estella Vaughan Legg, 72, former resident of Tip-ton and widow of Tom Legg, who died unexpectedly May 9 at St. Mary's Hospital, Columbus, Wis. She had been making her home since November, 1933, with her niece, Mrs. Ronald Schmidt, in Columbus.

Other survivors besides the niece include, among others, a brother, Charles Vaughan, Clarksburg, and four sisters, Mrs. A. J. Scott, Pisgah, Mrs. Ethel Benson, Little Rock, Ark., Mrs. Jack Allee and Mrs. Harry Sturgis, both of St. Louis.

The Rev. R. M. Furkin, pastor of the California Presbyterian Church, officiated.

May Lavenia Simpson Services

Funeral services for May Lavenia Simpson, of near Nelson, who died Thursday morning at St. Joseph's Hospital, Boonville, were held at 10:30 a. m. Saturday at Salt Forks Church, with the Rev. Ira Griffith officiating.

Burial was in Salt Forks Cemetery. Arrangements were made by the Hay-Painter Funeral Home in Pilot Grove.

Mrs. Agnes Schubolz Services

Funeral services were held Friday afternoon at the Wallen Funeral home in Burlington, Ia., for Mrs. Agnes Schubolz, 58, daughter-in-law of Mrs. E. Schubolz, Sedalia, and who died Tuesday afternoon after a lingering illness.

Dennis Baby Services

Graveside services were held at Arrow Rock at 2 p. m. Friday for the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert M. Dennis, Route 4. The baby was born at Bothwell Hospital Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Dennis is the former Anna Eilers. Besides his parents the baby is survived by one brother, Robin Hugo Dennis, and his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Eilers, Arrow Rock, and James H. Dennis, Marshall.

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Funeral services for Mrs. Anna Esser Bartlett, 89, former Sedalia, who died at Fairfield, Ill., at Memorial Hospital, 8:45 p. m. Monday, were held at 2 p. m. Thursday at the McLaughlin Funeral Chapel, The Rev. Arthur Schmidt, pastor of the Lutheran Church at Cole Camp, officiated in the absence of the Rev. David M. Funk, pastor of the Trinity Lutheran Church.

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Seniors Have Dinner, Program At Houstonia

The following program was given at the Houstonia High School May 19 at 10:30 followed by dinner sponsored by the PTA: Norma Bechtel, a senior, acted as mistress of ceremony; welcome by Tommy Fluty; senior class history by Jerry Edwards; song by Roon One, "Sing, Laugh, Play," with Marilyn Smiley accompanist; fashion show by the home economics department, with Mrs. James Sears as teacher, the girls wearing dresses they had made, Leah Rea Collier, Mary Tuckwiller, Joyce Charles, Betty Joe Reid, Elma Jane Morris, Anna Gertrude Charles, Judy Schuler, Virginia Walk, Norma Bechtel, Barbara Anne Reid, Lula Bell Baker taking part.

"Humpty Dumpty" by Ruth Anne, Robb; piano solo, "March of the Ginger Bread Man," by Bobby Blackburn; "Mama Doll," song by Catherine Reid; piano solo, "Grandfather's Clock" by Ruth Ann Wood; senior class will by Lula Bell Baker; "Daffy Crockett" by Robert Gregory; Jimmy Wood, Clarence Allen Charles and Tommy Reid from Room 3; Marilyn and Susanne Smiley singing and playing "Chime Again, Beautiful Bell"; senior class prophesy by Barbara Anne Reid; song, "Open Up Your Heart," by Susanne Smiley and Jimmy Wernerke, with Marilyn Smiley at piano; and square dance number by group from Room Four with Parker and Cecil Charles playing.

Supt. James Sears named Barbara Anne Reid as valedictorian and Lula Belle Baker as salutatorian; Fred Lovercamp presented Barbara Anne Reid and Lloyd Shureman athletic awards as the best athletes; Mrs. Walter Fricke presented Barbara Anne Reid the music award; and Mrs. Lee Blackburn presented typing awards to Virginia Walk, Mary K. Hayes, Mary Tuckwiller and Barbara Anne Reid.

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DAILY RECORD

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Son to Mr. and Mrs. Vic Yeager, Florence, at 7:33 a. m. Friday at the Bothwell Hospital. Weight, eight pounds, eight ounces.

Daughter to Mr. and Mrs. John Friedley, Ionia, at 9 a. m. Saturday at the Bothwell Hospital. Weight, seven pounds, eight ounces.

Son to the Rev. and Mrs. M. K. Wasson, Ogbomasha, Nigeria, West Africa, May 2. Weight, eight pounds, nine ounces. He has been named Charles Thomas. Rev. Wasson is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Wasson, 1614 West 16th. The Wassons have been at their Baptist missionary home in Africa ten months, and have another son, Kenny, Jr., age 3.

City Hospitals

BOTHWELL—Medical: Mrs. Emma Williams, 600 North Prospect; Mrs. Nellie Tabler, 1710 West 11th; David Stepp, Versailles; Mrs. Clarence Austin, Stover; and Mrs. Bobby Britton, Kansas City.

Accident: Miss Kay Richardson, 1020 South Harrison.

Dismissal: Mrs. Robert Dennis, Route 4; Miss Crystal Morris, 103 East 13th; Reinhold Schmidt, Route 1; Stephen Schubert, 1409 Osage; Harry Fairfield, Cole Camp; Mrs. J. R. Payne and son, 1012 Crescent Dr.; and Mrs. Robert Hoehans and son, Mora.

In Other Hospitals

W. J. Moore, 116 West Third, has entered the Missouri-Pacific Hospital in St. Louis. Mrs. Moore is spending today in St. Louis with him.

Ellis Isaac Warren, seven-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Warren, Route 1, Sedalia, was admitted to Children's Mercy Hospital May 20.

The condition of A/3C Robert Weinberger, 19, who was injured in an automobile accident on Highway 50, three miles east of Knob Noster at 7:15 a. m. Friday, is reported to be "fair" and not "critical" at the present time. Weinberger is in St. Luke's Hospital, Kansas City, where he was taken Friday afternoon from the Sedalia Air Force Base hospital for further treatment.

Weinberger, who resides in Sedalia with his wife, Jean, at 525½ East Fourth, was reported by the hospital to have shown improvement since Friday but will be considered in a serious condition for the next several days.

It was learned he did not suffer a fractured skull as first thought, but he did have serious head injuries such as cuts and bruises about his face, the loss of front teeth, a fracture of the left arm at the wrist and possible internal injuries.

Marriage Licenses

Lloyd Wayne Parker, Manor, Tex., and Rosemary Paxton, Route 5, Sedalia.

Eugene L. Johnson, Hamilton, Mo., and Marjorie Jewell Kelly, Knob Noster.

David Carlisle, Portales, N.Mex., and Clara Lou Hamilton, 423 East Seventh.

Norman Sidney Morton, Knob Noster, and Shirley June Sisemore, Route 1, Sedalia.

Joseph Schroeder, St. Louis, and Sadie Irene Lyon, St. Louis.

Magistrate Court

Lee S. Cozad, Clifton City, was fined \$25 and costs by Magistrate Frank T. Armstrong Saturday on a charge of careless and reckless driving.

Cozad was driving a car Feb. 28 which struck Mrs. Emogene Henderson, Smithton, after he left the pavement for the shoulder to avoid hitting a car ahead driven by Claude D. Craig, Sullivan, who had stopped to give Mrs. Henderson a ride.

State Patrol Sgt. E. W. Van Winkle testified for the state. Cozad took the stand to testify also and claimed he was going 50 to 55 m.p.h. when he saw the car ahead had stopped. Cozad testified he could not pass to the left because of oncoming traffic and that when he went onto the shoulder his car went into a skid and was out of

control when he struck Mrs. Henderson.

Accidents

A collision between a 1952 Chevrolet truck and 1942 Chevrolet at sixth and Grand about 5:31 p. m. Saturday resulted in damage to both vehicles.

The truck was driven by Noah E. Harris, 408 West Johnson, going east on Sixth, and the Chevrolet was being driven north on Grand by Harry W. Needy, Syracuse, at the time of the mishap. The right front fender of the truck was smashed in and the left front fender of the Chevrolet was dented in.

Slight damages were the result of a two-car collision about 3:18 p. m. Saturday at Broadway and Grand.

A 1954 Chevrolet was being driven west on Broadway by Wallace F. Elliott, 1603 South Montau, and a 1955 Nash Rambler driven by Karl S. Lawson, Ozark, Mo., was traveling east on Broadway when the two machines collided.

Damage resulted to the left front bumper of Elliott's car and to the right front bumper of the Lawson auto.

A 1948 DeSoto sedan driven by Glen O. Atkinson, Elkhardt, Ind., and a 1950 Chevrolet driven by Bobby D. Britton, Kansas City, were involved in an accident at the intersection of Broadway and Limit at 3:53 p. m. Saturday, resulting in damage to both autos. Both cars were traveling east on Broadway when the mishap occurred.

There was damage to the grille of the DeSoto and to the rear bumper and grille of the Chevrolet.

Marian B. Britton, Kansas City, an occupant in the vehicle driven by Bobby Britton, was taken to the Bothwell Hospital for observation.

Police Court

Perry Daniel Rainey, Jr., Columbia, charged with careless driving by driving 60 miles per hour on Limit from the 2100 to the 2400 block was fined \$25 by Judge R. L. Weinrich. Rainey pleaded guilty. He was arrested the evening of May 14.

Eddie Burton, 1616 West Broadway, charged with parking contrary to a legal sign, forfeited a \$2 cash bond.

Mrs. James L. Shy, 1305 South Lamine, charged with improper parking, forfeited a \$2 cash bond.

John Edward Closser, 1802 South Prospect, charged with running two stop signs, one at Main and Missouri and the other at Main and Grand, forfeited a cash bond of \$10.

Raymond Gossett, Sedalia Air Force Base, charged with running a red light at Broadway and Ohio, forfeited a \$5 cash bond.

Charges of fighting against Troy Pirtle, 21, 414 East Seventh, Billy Lees, 18, 217 East Chestnut and Willis Todd Jr., 18, 501 East Howard, were dismissed in police court. The trio was picked up in an alley beside the Osage Cafe at the time.

Leonard L. Jefferess, 41, Kansas City, charged with driving a motor vehicle while intoxicated, was fined \$75 by Judge R. L. Weinrich. He pleaded guilty in police court Saturday. Jefferess was arrested in the 100 block on South Missouri.

John D. Gray, Negro, 42, Sikeston, charged with speeding 45 miles per hour on Broadway from Ingram to Hancock, was given a continuance on the case to Monday 23.

He is held in the city jail for investigation in connection with finding of 2,000 pounds of copper found in his automobile at the time he was arrested at 5 a. m. Saturday.

Gray said he found the wire on a dump in Kansas City.

Herbert W. Baker, Negro, 22, Sedalia Air Force Base, failed to appear in police court and his cash bond for \$15 was ordered forfeited. He was arrested on a charge of speeding 45 miles per hour from

Visitors

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base operations, and getting the base ready for resuming regular duties Monday morning. Another group had a task of cleaning up the grounds. The task of this small army went on for hours into the night.

The Air Police had men stationed throughout the base directing traffic in a methodical manner, giving directions and helping the visitors in general. Their anticipated big problem—lost children—narrowed down to the loss of two youngsters and their parents were contacted within a matter of a few minutes.

Maj. Francis X. Staba, provost marshal, was well pleased with his squadron and the manner in which they performed their duties.

Vacation Bible School

The Vacation Bible School of Epworth Methodist Church will start Monday, May 23, and continue for two weeks each morning from 9 to 11:30 o'clock. The school is for all children between the ages of 4 and 12 years.

Following are the teachers: Mrs. Joe Frownfelter, Mrs. Lloyd Knox, Mrs. Merle Henderson, Mrs. Willard Morris, Mrs. Maxine Stevens, Mrs. C. W. Hurt, and Mrs. Hugh Jones. Mrs. Herman Kettle will be in charge of the music. Mrs. Orpha Wheeler in charge of the handwork. Mrs. Sterling Wheeler, Bible Stories. Mrs. N. W. Hinken is superintendent of the Bible School. A number of women of the church will assist.

The Rev. Ralph Hurd is pastor of the church.

The 1000 block to the 1400 block on West Main.

Orun Delmo Dunbar, Sedalia Air Force Base, charged with making a left turn at Third and Ohio, pleaded guilty and was fined \$5.

There were 14 overtime parkers who failed to appear in police court and their cash bonds of \$1 each were ordered forfeited. Fifty-one persons who were given tickets and appeared at police headquarters within a half-hour paid the 25-cent fee.

Police Reports

A prowler was reported at 1704 South Montgomery at 11:08 p. m. Friday. Police made an investigation.

A girl's bicycle was found at the First Baptist Church at 1:05 a. m. Saturday.

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Clean-up Day Held May 17 At Nelson

By Orpha Lee Beeler
NELSON — The city council designated May 17 as annual clean-up day. Rubbish was picked up by the city truck.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Lee Spriggs, Sullivan, who spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Spriggs and family, Blackwater, visited friends here Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Smith and Mr. Winifrey Carpenter, New Franklin, visited Mrs. Jennie McClure Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Locké, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Hadley, Kansas City, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Younger and Pamela Kay, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lester White.

Mrs. Clay McGraw, Marshall, and Mrs. Harry McGraw, Napton, visited Mrs. Rosa Mitchell Monday afternoon.

The fellowship group of the Union Sunday School will have its monthly covered dish supper May 27 at 7 p.m. in the Methodist Church basement. The Rev. Harvey B. Smith, pastor of Marshall Christian Church, will be the guest speaker.

Mrs. J. R. Sims, Blackwater, visited her mother, Mrs. Jennie McClure last Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Marcum, Jr. Nancy and Larry, spent from Saturday until Sunday with friends near Springfield.

Mr. and Mrs. James Thornton, Marshall spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Sally Thornton.

Mrs. Mable Allshire, Mable Hopkins, Mrs. Edith Rumsey, Versailles, visited L. M. Nelson and C. W. Monday afternoon. They also went to Arrow Rock and visited Mrs. L. M. Nelson at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hogge.

Mrs. J. R. Sims, Blackwater, and Mrs. Jennie McClure attended funeral services for Mrs. T. R. Crammer, Ottumwa, Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Sims and Mary Ellen spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. McClure.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pawell and Kathy, Kansas City, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Porter visited her parents, Rev. and Mrs.

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Cpl. Hopkins on Leave After Far East Tour

Cpl. Donald Hopkins, who has been stationed with the Army at Guam and Korea the past 15 months, arrived home Thursday after receiving his discharge from the Army at Camp Carson, Colo. His wife, the former Agnes Westmeyer, resides at 508 South Engineer. Hopkins is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Hopkins, Route 2.

Ira Griffith, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Reich, Kansas City, were also Tanner, Mr. Tanner, who recently received painful cuts on his left hand when a truck fell off a jack, is getting along fine.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ault, Sedalia, came after Mrs. F. B. Ault Saturday evening and she visited until Sunday afternoon in their home. They brought her back home Sunday. Jack Wilson, Kansas City, Robert Ault, W. R. Ault and daughters, Marshall, visited Mrs. Ault after she returned home. Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Ault and daughters were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Beeler.

Nelson 4-H Club met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Campbell and Loula Mae. The 4-H'ers had charge of the Sunday morning services of the Union Sunday School.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith Davis received word that their son, Richard is stationed ten miles from Stuttgart, Germany. His company is at Camp Fleigshorst, the original Luftwaffe Barracks.

Don Baker was guest speaker at baccalaureate services May 5.

Dr. and Mrs. Edwin L. Wilson and sons, Paul's Valley, Okla., Sunday guests.

The seniors went on their annual

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trip to Lake Taneycomo last weekend.

The PTA held a covered dish supper Tuesday night. Following the supper officers were installed.

New lights are being installed on Main street. The Missouri Utilities crew of Tipton, is doing the work.

Mr. and Mrs. Frankie Mansell, Napoleon, moved to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mamie Thompson Saturday evening. Mr. Mansell drives a stock truck for Mrs. Mollie Kuykendall.

The grade school students en-

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Seniors From Windsor Visit Bagnell Dam

By Mrs. Leonard Phifer

WINDSOR — Members of the Senior Class of the high school spent Thursday and Friday at Bagnell Dam, Kirkwood Lodge, and had a boat ride on the Gov. McClurg. Seniors making the trip were: Kenneth Acker, Dean Allen, Gordon Bolton, Benny Campbell, Junior Ferguson, Joe Hughes, Dale Kelly, Harold Loman, Marty Marchbanks, Johnny Odle, Erwin Osburn, Dale Ray, Melvin Robbins, Carl Sanders, John Bay Smith, John William Smith, Eugene Soles, David Stiles, Billy Young, Tom Foose, Mary Althoff, Pat Clubb, Martha Dove, Peggy Gee, Frances Irwin, Anita Kerr, Shirley Grinstead, Evelyn Harbit, Ann Harper, Royena Hix, Wilma Kramer, Kay McAllister, Louise Moomaw, Shirley Powers, Margaret Riggs, Leona Stone, Nona Young, Margie Zollicker and Ellen Powers. The group was accompanied by Supt. and Mrs. F. J. Webb, Mr. and Mrs. William Turner, Mrs. Marie Bradley and Freeman Harbit.

Mrs. Edgar Dempsey, Clinton, visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank Norcross Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Harbit, daughter, Sandra spent Sunday in Warsaw with Mrs. Harbit's mother, Mrs. William Freeman.

Mrs. Maude Harris, who teaches in Raytown, visited in Windsor Sunday and attended services at the Methodist Church.

Mrs. Jess Mothersbaugh, Dexter, spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. M. A. Murray.

Mrs. Sam Ferguson, Lawrence, Kan., and Mrs. Byron Christ visited Saturday with Mrs. Effie Christian and Mrs. Hattie Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Rosenburger were Warrensburg visitors Thursday.

Word was received Saturday morning by relatives and friends telling of the death of Mrs. Mary Hand in Springfield at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Allan Burcham. Funeral was Monday at 2:30 at the Huston - Turner Funeral Home and burial in Laurel Oak Cemetery here.

Mrs. Ella Kendrick, Sedalia, spent the past week here with her sister, Mrs. F. D. Wolfe, and brother, George Ray and wife. Betty Saxton, Princeton, spent



Richard Sprinkles



Darrel Richards



Alfred Mittenberg

ARMY ENLISTEES — Richard L. Sprinkles, left, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Sprinkles; Darrel D. Richards, center, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Richards and Alfred Mittenberg, right, son of John R. Mittenberg, all of Route 4, enlisted in the U. S. Army with the 10th Division, and reported May 12, to Kansas City. After a brief process at Fort Leonard Wood they will be assigned to the 10th Division, Ft. Riley, Kans. The first part of October they will move to Southern Germany where the 10th Division is replacing the 1st. Infantry Division which is being rotated to the United States. Richards and Sprinkles are graduates of the class of 1954 from Smith-Cotton. Mittenberg was graduated from Hughesville High School in 1955.

the weekend with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Coffey and Pat. Odessa; Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Coffey, and Mr. and Mrs. Len Nations attended Memorial Services at Green Cemetery near Climax Springs Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Klinger spent Thursday and Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Junior Newman and family near Lewis.

Among those from out-of-town who attended the funeral of Mrs. Mary Hand of Springfield at the Huston - Turner Funeral Home Monday afternoon were: Mrs. Henry Stall, Higginsville; Mrs. Ted Johnson, Sedalia; Mrs. T. E. Holway and daughters, Wagoner, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Houser and daughter, Lincoln; Mrs. Harry Gray, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Burcham, Springfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Kenton, Kansas City, were guests Tuesday night of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Givens. The Star Bridge Club met Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Edna Turner. Following a dessert course bridge was played with high score going to Mrs. L. T. Hoback.

Mrs. T. J. Close, Green Ridge, visited Tuesday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Norcross.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Cave and daughters, Syracuse, spent Saturday night with Mrs. Cave's mother, Mrs. Ethel Mayfield. On Sunday they all spent the day with relatives in Higginsville.

Mrs. J. R. Watt went to Springfield Saturday to take her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Y. Warren, to their home after spending the past week here with Mr. and Mrs. Watt.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Creach left Sunday morning for Pensacola, Fla. where Dewey is stationed, after spending a leave with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harris Douglas and Carol and Mr. and Mrs. Dorsey Creach and sons.

Miss Josephine Henry and Miss Pauline Park spent the weekend in Kansas City with Miss Louise Hoepfner and Miss Irene Goff.

Mrs. J. R. Cook left Wednesday for Chicago, Ill. to visit her sister-in-law, Mrs. Kate Goodman.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Harsch, Smithton, visited the Rev. and Mrs. E. F. Dillon and Mrs. Fred Marti Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Charles Holmes, Mrs. Fred McAllister, Mrs. Vern Jones, Mrs. Rudolph Bruns, Mrs. J. T. Spalding, Mrs. George Windsor, Mrs. C. E. Grace, Mrs. P. L. Keller and Mrs. Roy B. Marshall attended a Training Institute at the Christian Church in Clinton Friday.

Mrs. Virgie Hampton, Green Ridge, spent Sunday evening with her mother, Mrs. W. O. Thompson and sister, Mrs. Clarence Sims.

Mr. and Mrs. Leland Peery and family, Knob Noster, were Sunday visitors of Mrs. Peery's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Chastain.

Mrs. Bill Neece and children, Houstonia, were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Walthal Neece.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Daugherty and family, Mrs. Gorman McCray and sons, Holden; Mrs. Goldie Underwood, Warrensburg, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Hall Sunday.

Harold Bowen, Harrisonville, spent Sunday visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Miller took Mrs. Miller's mother, Mrs. L. D. Willis, to her home in Eldorado Springs Saturday after a weeks visit in their home.

Miss Lela Jennings visited relatives in Clinton Friday.

Friends in Windsor have received word of the birth of a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Heubly Moore of Festus, Mrs. Moore is the former Miss Dorothy Gallemore, music instructor in the school here. Miss Dorothy Perry, employed

in Kansas City, spent the weekend with her mother, sister and brother, Mrs. Laura Perry, Mary and Robert.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Martin spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Matthews, Warrensburg.

J. D. Givens spent the weekend at Fort Leavenworth, Kan., with Major and Mrs. Harvey Hartle. Mrs. Givens, who had been visiting there since Wednesday returned home with him in Sunday.

Mrs. Roy Carroll, Mrs. Oral Miller and Jayne, Lewis, visited Mrs. Clara Powell Friday.

Mrs. Ernie Eldson and Mrs. Charles Williams attended an extension club meeting in Sedalia Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Raymond Hecker and son accompanied by Mrs. Charley Howard left Sunday morning for San Francisco, Calif., Mrs. Hecker and son will take a plane for Japan to join Sgt. Hecker who is in the service and stationed there. Mrs. Howard will visit relatives in San Francisco.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Beal, Leeton, were dinner guests Saturday of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Black and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Sutherland visited Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Miller and daughter in Sedalia Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Norcross were Sunday visitors in Warrensburg with Mrs. Norcross' sister, Mrs. W. W. Landis, Mr. Landis and Martha Lou.

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Girl Scout News—

Three Sedalia Girl Scouts To Leave for Camping Trip

Three Sedalia Girl Scouts, Carolyn Ryan, Martha Berlin, and Sherry Stauffacher, will leave May 23 for the Girl Scout camp at Knob Noster State Park for a 12-day camp session. The camp is operated by the Pioneer Trails Council, Independence.

Mary Lou Barnes, scribe for Troop 1, Broadway School, reports that at a recent troop meeting their leader, Mrs. Lester Painter, taught them how to make cookies. During the business meeting the troop members made arrangements for an overnight troop camping trip.

Mrs. William Dick, leader of troop 26, Sacred Heart School, en-

tained the troop at her home on May 17. Mrs. Bettie Wilding gave a first aid demonstration to the 16 members present. Following a buffet dinner the girls surprised their leader with a program they had planned alone.

Pantomime, "Short'nin' Bread," Sharon Paxton and Sally Archias; skit, "Three Bears," presented by Linda Freese and Marie Anderson; Charleston dance by Cathy Staley and Kathy Battles; comedy act by Donna Wulff, Margaret Doriwiler and Cherry Mettler; poem, "Trying" by Mary Proctor; "Down by the Zidder Zee," Hope Bennett and Ginger Chapman; "Go and Come," a skit, Delores Geiser.

Carol Carroll and Theresa Stohr. Mrs. Bettie Wilding was guest of honor at the dinner meeting.

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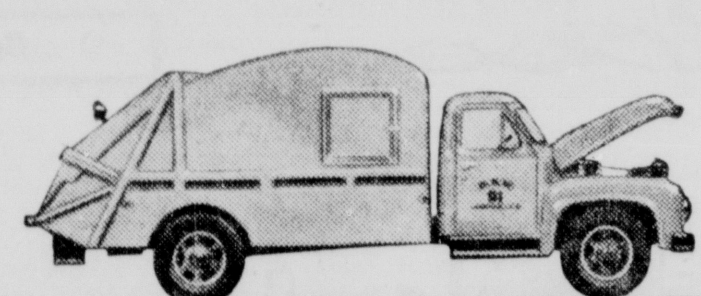
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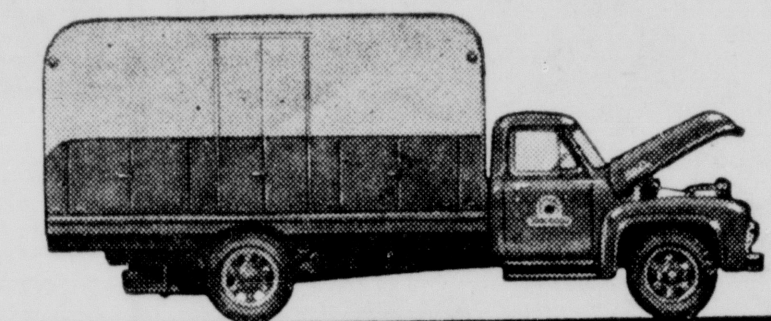
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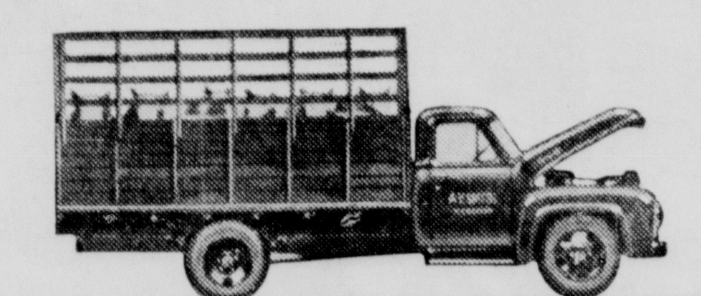
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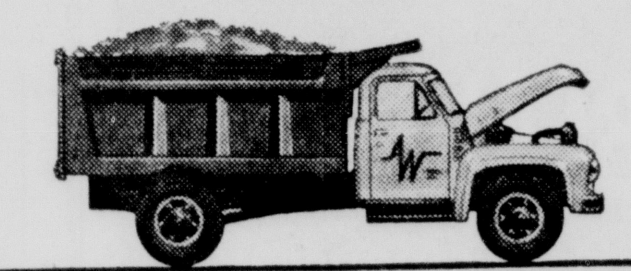
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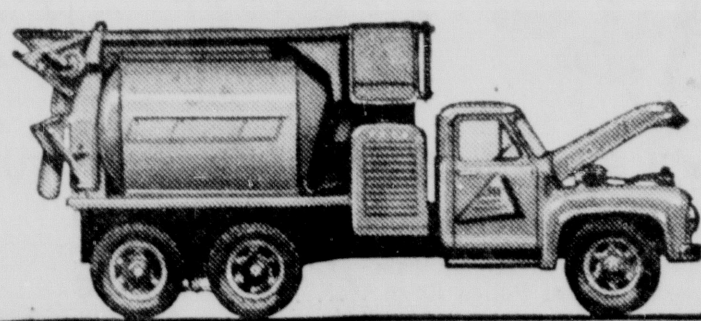
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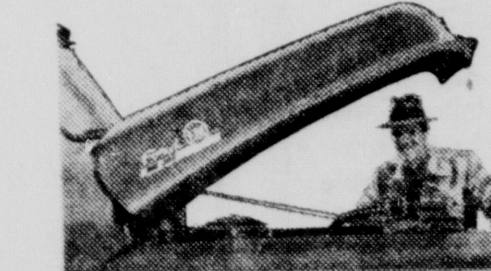


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Improvement Hints—
**Postmaster Urges Cooperation
In Rural Mail Box Projects**

"Rural Mail Box Improvement Week" is this week, according to Postmaster General Arthur E. Summerfield, and Maurice Hogan, Sedalia postmaster, is asking co-operation in seeing that rural mailboxes are up to regulation standards.

Over the rural area many of the old rusty, leaky boxes have not been replaced with new and adequate boxes. When inspectors go around on an inspection tour they will still find plenty of bird nests, wasp nests and spiders in their webs living inside mail boxes.

Every rural patron is reminded that this week is a time when they should take a good look at their mailboxes to see if the boxes do come up to standards. If they don't, now is the time to do something about it. If the old mail box is still good, it should be given a new coat of white paint and the family name should be printed on it in large black letters.

This year the Sedalia post office is making a special effort to have patrons conform with the regulations that a rural box be located on the side of the road in the direction in which the rural carrier travels. In most instances this would mean no more than 20 feet additional walk for most patrons. With the increased amount of travel on the county's improved roads there is a greater danger in accidents happening to the rural carrier when he is on the wrong side of the road to service a mailbox.

Postmaster Hogan would like to emphasize the following basic facts, because all postmasters have received instructions from the Post Office department to have all patrons' boxes conform to regulation or there is a possibility delivery of mail will be withheld.

1. A well-located box kept in serviceable condition improves service.
2. A well-kept mail box reflects the pride and interest of an efficient property owner.
3. Your mailbox is often your first depository for items ultimately consigned to the safeguard of a safety deposit lock box or the safekeeping of a bank.
4. Rural boxes, while privately owned, are official in their nature.
5. Postal regulations governing rural mailboxes are simple rules designed for you and the protection of your mail.

There is not only the fact that the box should meet regulations but it tells a story of the kind of people who live in the home. Someone

said, "A rural mailbox is not only an article of utility but the front door of the home it serves." Attractive and well kept mailboxes add to the looks of the farm home.

One man who has recently moved to a country home is very pleased with his new mail box.

"I bought a large one," he said, "and an artist is painting it for me. It is going to be white with the name in large black letters. The artist is fixing it up real fancy. He is even having some ivy vines twined over it."

Maybe everybody doesn't have a friend who is an artist, but there should be pride in the mailbox and a nice paint job on a new box or even an old mailbox in good condition with black lettering, would show interest and cooperation with the men who deliver the mail. This is the time to look the boxes over and see if they look good and are placed at the right spot.

**Blackwater School
Closes With Dinner
And Commencement**

Blackwater school closed for the summer months with a basket dinner served in the school gym on Friday.

Commencement exercises for the eighth grade graduates were held Thursday evening with the following program: processional, Mrs. Joe McCuskey; invocation, Rev. F. G. Kessler; piano solo, Marie Topel; song, class; introduction of speaker, principal Joe McCuskey; address, Dr. Walter H. Brown; presentation of class, Mrs. N. O. Wetherell; presentation of diplomas, Joe McCuskey; benediction, Rev. N. O. Wetherell; recessional, Mrs. McCuskey.

The class roll consisted of: Dolores Gean Cotten, Minnie Le Scott, Shirley Ann Nowlin, Amelia Marie Topel, Leroy Wayne Cornine, Dale Cornine, Larry Delbert Harrison, Franklin Green, Jimmy Morris, Leona Newell.

An award of good citizenship was presented to Carol Jean Topel.

Clean-Up Meeting

The Semiannual Cemetery Cleaning group for the McKee Chapel Cemetery will hold an all day meeting Wednesday. There will be a basket lunch and business meeting in the afternoon.

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WARSAW HONOR STUDENTS—Mary Lois Johnson, daughter of Mrs. Juanita Johnson, Kansas City, was valedictorian of the senior class of Warsaw High School and Dorothy Ann Johnson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Houston Johnson, Frisco, was salutatorian. Mary Lois was active in dramatics and commerce and Dorothy Ann was active in commerce, FHA, and won many awards in 4-H Club work.

**Mrs. W. Ritchie
Home From Trip
To Connecticut**

By Mrs. Clarence DeHaven

LA MONTE—Mrs. Willard Ritchie returned from a two week vacation in Grouton, Conn., visiting her son, Mr. Eldridge Miller, Mrs. Miller and family, Mrs. Ritchie, went by plane.

Mrs. Jo Peterson and daughter, Karen Dee, Los Angeles, Calif., and Mrs. Had Young, Kansas City, spent Wednesday with their sister, Mrs. Norman Hall, and Mr. Hall and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Pace, Alameda, Calif., and Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Pace, Kansas City, spent the weekend with their uncle, Mr. W. E. Pace and Mrs. Pace and cousin, Mrs. R. B. Burke and Mr. Burke.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Balleau, Mrs. Leonard Reavis, Beverly DeLapp, Larry Burke, Wayne Cook, Emmy Kindie, Judy Langford went to Eldorado Springs to attend dedication of Methodist youth camp, Camp Galilee, Bishop Ivan Lee Holt conducted the ceremony. There was soil brought by Transworld Airlines from Nazareth and placed around the cornerstone and water from the Sea of Galilee poured into it.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Williams and Derby, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Williams attended the graduation in Green Ridge Sunday.

Miss Evelyn Williams of Stover is home for the summer vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Drew Cartz of Rantoul, Ill., had as guests over the weekend, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond DeFram.

Mrs. Clay Meyers of Spring Fork spent Sunday with her brother, Edward Wimer, Mrs. Wimer and Betty.

Mr. and Mrs. Munsey Gregory spent Sunday Tarsney Lake with

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**Boonslick Regional Library
Vacation Reading Club Grows**

The cowboy club for vacation reading for boys and girls is growing by leaps and bounds. Children are swarming into the library every hour that it is open and are meeting the bookmobile in greater numbers than last summer.

Parents are invited to come with their children and browse among the books on their hobbies, their every day tasks or books of travel, biography or fiction which will take them far from this workaday world. Among the latest shipment of adult books are Cornelia Otis Skinner's "Bottoms Up" where she takes us through the streets of Paris, we stand in front of the elevator and watch people's eyes, we drink carrot juice at a health bar and even attend an annual dinner of obstetricians with her. If you need to relax and laugh, this is your book.

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ers" by William E. Wilson. It has an established audience as does "The Case of the Sun Bather's Diary" by Erle Stanley Gardner.

These are only a few of the new books just arriving for adult relays. Use your library — the summer bookmobile schedule, the headquarters in Boonville and Sedalia belong to the people of the region.

Bookmobile Schedule: Tuesday, May 24: Brown 9:00-9:30, LaMonte 10:00-3:00; LaMonte downtown 3:00-3:30; Horace Breshears 3:45-4:15.

Wednesday, May 25: St. Peters & Paul school — morning, Summer school — afternoon.

Thursday, May 26: Boonville Central school.

Friday, May 27: Paul Birdsongs 1:00-1:45; J. A. Pulleys 2:00-2:45; C. M. Fergusons 3:00-3:30.

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A separate league has been formed for these youngsters in which competition will be only in their age group. The boys who show promise or outstanding ability may be observed by Major and Minor league managers and brought up to the team in the Minors or Majors that might need them. More and better ball players may be developed for the future it is hoped by this plan. For the present, four teams have been organized, the Yanks, Athletics, Cardinals and Dodgers. This league will be known as the Mite League. Practice will be held on the high school practice field on Wednesday evenings at 5:30 and Saturday mornings at 9:00. The first practice will be Wednesday evening, May 25.

It is hoped that there will be fathers of some of these boys who will volunteer to help manage and coach these youngsters. Anyone interested should contact George Lockett, vice-president of Little League, or George Foster, league commissioner. One or two Minor League managers are also needed. Anyone interested should contact George Foster, Minor League commissioner. If enough boys come out several more teams will be formed.

Mite League Roster

Yanks: Freddie Merry, Fletcher Owsley, Dale Anthes, Brian Becker, Kelly Brett, Jimmy Chapman, Joe Coughlin, David Durrill, Timothy Fisher, George Glover, Gary Hayvel, Robert Houchens, Jimmy Lane, Lee Miller, John Owen, Johnny Reiger, Larry Ryan, Bill Shelby, Ed Martin, Ed Bane, 9-Year-Old—Lionel Bane; 8-Year-Old—John Owen. Manager, Skitch Stratton.

Athletics: Kenneth Simon, Joe Archias, Terry Joe Bellmer, Matthew Brooks, Larry Collins, Stephan Carson, Dale Dietrich, John Foster, Roy Greer, Ricky Hawkins, Steve Kenny, Lindquist, Joe Morehead, Billy Pletcher, Tommy Robins, Mike Schmidt, Randy Short, Monty Sparks, Danne Stratton, Tommy Trout, Carl Walter, Ronnie Wilburn, Richard Williams, Danny Zanowick.

Cardinals: Craig Jones, Robert Staus, Allen Armstrong, Robert Berlin, Thomas Bryan, Daryl Cook, Vernice Dean, Steve Durrill, Billie Gardner, Joe Greenen, Robert Higdon, Melvin Knapp, Jim McFall, Dickey Nagle, Norbick Prejant, Mike Stanfield, Richard Strickland, Tommy Trueman, Kenneth Wasson, Gary Williams, Wayne Wollingham.

Dodgers: Eddie Young, Billy Wiser, Jerry Austin, Steve Boots, Jimmy Butler, Michael Conyner, Dale Lee, Dennis, Jimmy Farris, Donnie Gant, David Hall, Tommy Hopkins, John Lamy, Larry McPatrick, Jerry Neville, Larry Pressley, Bill Ross, Bill Shaw, Billie Salton, Sandy Stanfield, Danny Sylvester, Doyle Ulmer, Teddie Wells, David Williams, Eddie Willocker.

Minor League

1956 Rules for Minors

- Two games will be played Friday evening. Two games will be played Saturday morning.
- The two managers playing first game will exchange umpiring assignments with managers playing the second game.
- Teams will be allowed 7 1/2 minutes for infield practice.
- Friday evening games will start at 6:00 p.m. Saturday morning games will start at 9:00 a.m.
- No inning will be started after each game has completed one (1) hour and twenty (20) minutes of play, except in case of the games.
- The league champions will play an all-star team Friday evening, July 22, 8 p.m.
- Each manager will select two players from his team for the all-star game.
- All protests will be settled by the commissioner at the time of the protest.
- A single round-robin schedule will be played.

Schedule

- June 3, 6 p.m.—Adco vs. Lions; Optimist vs. Elks.
- June 4, 9 a.m.—Ice & Cold Storage vs. Kiwanis; Rotary vs. Jaycees.
- June 10, 6 p.m.—Adco vs. Optimist; Lions vs. Elks.
- June 11, 9 a.m.—Ice & Cold Storage vs. Rotary; Kiwanis vs. Jaycees.
- June 17, 6 p.m.—Adco vs. Elks; Lions vs. Ice & Cold Storage.
- June 18, 9 a.m.—Optimist vs. Jaycees; Kiwanis vs. Rotary.
- June 24, 6 p.m.—Adco vs. Ice & Cold Storage; Lions vs. Kiwanis.
- June 25, 9 a.m.—Optimist vs. Rotary; Elks vs. Jaycees.
- July 1, 6 p.m.—Optimist vs. Kiwanis; Elks vs. Ice & Cold Storage.
- July 2, 9 a.m.—Adco vs. Jaycees; Lions vs. Rotary.
- July 8, 6 p.m.—Optimist vs. Ice & Cold Storage; Elks vs. Kiwanis.
- July 9, 9 a.m.—Adco vs. Rotary; Lions vs. Jaycees.
- July 15, 6 p.m.—Elks vs. Rotary; Ice & Cold Storage vs. Rotary.
- July 16, 9 a.m.—Elks vs. Kiwanis; Lions vs. Optimist.
- July 22—All-Star game.

Minor League Roster

Sedalia Ice & Cold Storage: 12-Year-Old—Jimmy Gardner, Dick Luper, George Gugliemetti, Ronnie Dunham, Albert President; 11-Year-Olds—Presley Jones, Jimmie Bellamy, Sandy Sheridan; 10-Year-Old—Bill McFarland, Roy Gibbs, Bill Hopkins, Danny Muller; 9-Year-Old—Clifford Bunks; 8-Year-Old—Joe Archias. Manager, Don McFarland.

Lions: 12-Year-Olds—Arthur Huff, Walter Zimmerschied, Elijah Cline, Wayne Mottison, Pat Sparks; 11-Year-Olds—Chris Woolery, Ramon Dickey; 10-Year-Olds—Benny Roberts, Bill Hammond, Dennis McIntyre, Leroy Johnston; 9-Year-Old—Robert Dodd; 8-Year-Old—Bill Bunn.

Kiwanis: 12-Year-Olds—Bobby Ferguson, David Sparks, John Reid, Roy Pottorff, Butch Poyntree; 11-Year-Olds—Leon Smithers, Bill Fleming; 10-

Year-Olds—Barry Cox, Ronny Lower, Morris Lyles; 9-Year-Olds—Sandy Stuber, Bill Cook; 8-Year-Old—Jerry Hilburn, Manager, Harold Shelly.

Adco: 12-Year-Olds—Larry Miller, William Meredith, Larry Blaylock, Bill Rayburn, Jim Miller, John Farlow; 11-Year-Olds—Teddy Griggs, Edwin Jett; 10-Year-Olds—Larry Miller, Rod Culey, Richard Herrick; 9-Year-Old—Ronnie Cole; 8-Year-Old—Richard Anderson, Coach, Onay Simon.

Optimist: 12-Year-Olds—Bill Bryan, Charley Goety, Ricky Pick, James Baylor; 11-Year-Olds—John Steele, Jack Kenney, Don Petree, Stonewall Bishop, Gene Rayle; 10-Year-Olds—Eugene Holt, Steve Elliott, Larry Ellis, Dennis Greene; 9-Year-Old—Donnie Barkledge.

Jaycees: 12-Year-Olds—Jerry Clutcher, Clayton Alcorn, Bobby Bishop, Albert Clark, Noble Turner; 11-Year-Olds—Micky Alfrey, Stonewall Bishop, Bill Heath; 10-Year-Olds—Dean Alfrey, Melvin Knapp, Dennis Trotter; 9-Year-Old—Richard Brewer; 8-Year-Old—Kenny Barr. Manager, Sam Knapp.

Elks: 12-Year-Olds—Larry Green, Hank Monsees, Ronald Dager, Eugene Dickey; 11-Year-Olds—David McKinn, Jimmy Collins, David Kenney; 10-Year-Olds—Dennis Carson, James Green, Kenneth Schulb, Don Herrington; 9-Year-Old—Ronnie Brown; 8-Year-Old—Dale Carson, John Arnett, Manager, Kenneth Dick.

Rotary: 12-Year-Olds—Larry Truman, Larry Welch, Grant Washington, Robert Shackles; 11-Year-Olds—Larry Ashbrook, Larry Foster, Jerry Ray, Jim Seedlen; 10-Year-Old—Ed Bane; 9-Year-Old—Lionel Bane; 8-Year-Old—John Owen. Manager, Skitch Stratton.

Major League

Major American Schedule

June 2—Lions vs. Optimist, Ice & Cold Storage vs. Adco; June 7—Adco vs. Lions, Optimist vs. Ice & Cold Storage.

June 9—Lions vs. Ice & Cold Storage, Optimist vs. Adco; June 14—Optimist vs. Lions, Adco vs. Ice & Cold Storage.

June 16—Lions vs. Adco, Ice & Cold Storage vs. Optimist; June 21—Adco vs. Optimist, Ice & Cold Storage vs. Lions.

June 23—Ice & Cold Storage vs. Adco, Lions vs. Optimist; June 28—Optimist vs. Ice & Cold Storage, Adco vs. Lions.

June 30—Optimist vs. Adco, Lions vs. Ice & Cold Storage; July 5—Optimist vs. Lions, Adco vs. Ice & Cold Storage.

July 7—Lions vs. Adco, Ice & Cold Storage vs. Optimist; July 12—Ice & Cold Storage vs. Lions, Adco vs. Optimist.

July 14—Lions vs. Optimist, Ice & Cold Storage vs. Adco; July 19—Adco vs. Lions, Optimist vs. Ice & Cold Storage.

July 21—Optimist vs. Adco, Lions vs. Ice & Cold Storage; July 26—Adco vs. Ice & Cold Storage, Optimist vs. Lions.

July 28—Ice & Cold Storage vs. Optimist, Lions vs. Adco; Aug. 2—Adco vs. Optimist, Ice & Cold Storage vs. Lions.

Major National Schedule
June 1—Elks vs. Kiwanis, Rotary vs. J.C.; June 6—J.C. vs. Elks, Kiwanis vs. Rotary.

June 8—Elks vs. Rotary, Kiwanis vs. J.C.; June 13—Kiwanis vs. Elks, J.C. vs. Rotary.

June 15—Rotary vs. Kiwanis, Elks vs. J.C.; June 20—J.C. vs. Kiwanis, Rotary vs. Elks.

June 22—Rotary vs. C, Elks vs. Kiwanis; June 27—J.C. vs. Elks, Kiwanis vs. Rotary.

June 29—Elks vs. Rotary, Kiwanis vs. J.C.; July 4—Kiwanis vs. Elks, J.C. vs. Rotary.

July 6—Elks vs. J.C., Rotary vs. Kiwanis; July 11—Rotary vs. Elks, J.C. vs. Kiwanis.

July 13—Elks vs. Kiwanis, Rotary vs. J.C.; July 18—J.C. vs. Elks, Kiwanis vs. Rotary.

July 20—Kiwanis vs. J.C., Elks vs. Rotary; July 25—J.C. vs. Rotary, Kiwanis vs. Elks.

July 27—Rotary vs. Kiwanis, Elks vs. J.C.; Aug. 1—J.C. vs. Kiwanis, Rotary vs. Elks.

The Elks Minors will hold a practice at the National Engineering and Manufacturing Co. diamond, 16th and Lamine at 4:45 p.m. Tuesday. All players are expected to be at the diamond on time.

All boys who are on the Sedalia Ice and Cold Storage Little League Minor team will hold practice, Monday, May 23, at the Smith-Cotton High School softball diamond. The practice will start at 6 p.m.

It is important all boys be present, Don McFarland, manager announced.

Western Auto Team To Practice Monday
The Western Auto Babe Ruth League team will practice Monday at 9 a.m. at 16th and Center.

MINOR LEAGUE Results

By The Associated Press American Association
Denver 12-12, St. Paul 6-1, Omaha 9, Minneapolis 1, Louisville 13, Indianapolis 4, Toledo 9, Charleston 6.

Texas League
Dallas 14, Beaumont 0-0, Fort Worth 6, Shreveport 2. Other games postponed.

Southern Association
Birmingham 4, Mobile 1, New Orleans 6, Atlanta 5. Other games postponed.

Western League
Colorado Springs 7, Des Moines 6 (12 innings), Sioux City 6, Wichita 4 10 innings, Pueblo 2, Lincoln 1.

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Admission—\$1.50 in advance \$1.75 at door.
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Town-Country Play Hornets At Center Park 8 p.m. Tonight

An interesting softball game is to be seen at the Center Park, 16th and Center 8 o'clock tonight. It will be a game to prove who are the masters, the women or the men.

Town and Country girl's team has challenged the Hudson Hornets to a game at the Center Park diamond. The Hornets accepted and the girls declare they'll tame the men.

The men, it was reported, said "it will be a practice game for them" a rather weak alibi if they should lose.

Western Horsemen Set Horse Show June 11

The Western Horsemen held their regular monthly meeting at the American Legion Hall May 11. A report on the district meeting held at Versailles was given by Eldon DeMott.

Discussion and plans were made for the show to be held June 11. Members of the Western Horsemen voted that no adults from their club would ride in the parade, thus the Western Horsemen Club will be represented by children only. Adults from other participating clubs will take part in the parade.

Industrial League Schedule This Week At House Park

May 22—2 p.m. DeMolay vs. Hudson, 7 p.m. Adco vs. Engineers.
May 23—9 p.m. Killo Watts vs. DeMolay.
May 27—7 p.m. Moose Club vs. Deavers Devils.
May 28—9 p.m. Knights of Columbus vs. Meadow Gold.
May 29—7 p.m. Killo Watt vs. Hudson, 9 p.m. Jolly Welders vs. Harms.
May 30—7 p.m. Meadow Gold vs. Deavers Devils.
May 31—9 p.m. Adco vs. Killo Watts, 9 p.m. Engineers vs. DeMolay.
June 1—7 p.m. Jolly Welders vs. Knights of Columbus.
June 2—7 p.m. Meadow Gold vs. Harms.
June 3—9 p.m. J.C. vs. Adco, 9 p.m. Jolly Welders vs. Deaver Devils.

BOWLING

Major League
High Totals
High team single game: T&O Lime & Rock, 1,040 pins.
High individual game: Fred Whitfield, 236 pins.
Second high individual game: Harry Satterwhite, 234 pins.
High individual series: Fred Whitfield, 578 pins.
Second high individual series: O. G. Nelson, 560 pins.

Pittsburgh Corning—Won None
R. Zink 156 150 133 439
L. Griffith 137 158 136 431
B. Michaelis 196 159 144 499
H. Johnson 161 160 191 512
Blind 154 154 154 462
Handicap 124 134 134 402
Totals 938 915 892 2745
Russell Bros.—Won 3
J. Hazell 178 139 157 474
J. Villella 179 179 195 511
R. Eggleston 173 149 147 469
C. Fischer 138 180 133 451
J. Hanby 181 152 181 494
Handicap 140 140 140 420
Totals 987 937 893 2619

Sedalia Moose Club—Won 1
H. Satterwhite 142 147 264 523
A. Schultz 150 99 171 420
B. Land 143 131 146 440
B. Sharper 167 129 168 514
E. Wittman 149 129 148 426
Handicap 85 95 95 285
Totals 846 800 962 2608

Phillips 66—Won 2
J. Long 169 156 145 450
B. Snokey 147 168 179 514
B. Thye 179 179 190 518
J. Ryan 180 168 187 535
O. G. Nelson 182 202 176 560
Handicap 56 59 59 177
Totals 916 932 908 2754

Coca-Cola—Won 1
F. Gornowicz 154 144 125 423
D. Brown 147 151 128 426
V. Davies 141 155 178 474
J. Halpin 176 167 146 491
T. Aulaur 191 154 170 515
Handicap 142 142 142 426
Totals 961 913 891 2755

T&O Lime & Rock—Won 3
M. Embree 164 143 169 476
C. Keller 162 133 178 473
G. Morris 196 144 160 500
F. Whitfield 193 149 236 578
E. Thomas 191 166 186 545
Handicap 119 119 119 357
Totals 1015 834 1040 2819

Second Baseman Curt Roberts of the Pirates started the 1955 season in the same manner as last year. He got the Pirates' first hit.



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Are Ready For Harness Racing In Mo.

By Walt S. Grantham

Missouri harness-horsemen are busy tuning up their steeds for the 1955 season, which promises to be the best in the state in the last 40 years. Some 50 horses are being readied for the racing wars at the state fair track at Sedalia, and approximately the same number are receiving preps at Savannah, Smithville, Kahoka, Maryville and on privately owned tracks scattered over the state.

Ushering in the 1955 season of harness racing in Missouri will be Memphis, in the northeast part of the state, with a two-day session June 18 and 19. This early meeting will be followed by one day at Kirksville on June 23, and two days at Shelbyna, June 25 and 26. The county fair circuit will get under way at Kahoka on July 27, and at Fulton on July 28.

Purse money for the trotters and pacers competing in Missouri this year will reach an estimated total of \$35,000. This money will be raced for by county fair horses; in addition the Grand Circuit events at Sedalia will pay approximately \$132,000 to the elite of the harness racing sport when the State Fair opens its race meet on Aug. 22. Missouri-owned and half-mile track horses which have not competed on the Grand Circuit in 1955 will vie for \$4,000 in state fair purses.

A schedule of Missouri fair meetings, with dates and advertised purses follows:

Memphis—June 18, 19—\$600.
Kahoka—July 27-28-29—\$4,000.
Fulton—July 28, 29, 30—\$3,600.
Mexico—Aug. 2, 3, 4, 5—\$3,750.
Kirksville—Aug. 9, 10, 11, 12—\$3,150.

Savannah—Aug. 11, 12, 13—\$2,100.
Sedalia—Aug. 22 through 26—\$4,000.

Bethany—Sept. 6, 7—\$3,600.
Purse distribution at the June meetings at Shelbyna and Kirksville will be based on gate receipts. Maryville and Cape Girardeau have not made an announcement of dates and purses.

Horsemen and devotees of America's oldest native sport are encouraged by the rebirth of harness racing in Missouri. Following the war years the number of race meetings has increased from three in 1946 to 10 schedules in the state for 1955 and the purse money offered this year exceeds that of any year in the past 40.

Brown's Supply Team To Practice Monday

The Brown's Supply Babe Ruth Team will hold a practice session at 6 o'clock Monday morning on the Liberty Park diamond. All members of the team are to be present.

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1947 CHEVROLET 2-Door Sedan Was \$295.00 1/2 Price Sale \$147.50	1948 CHEVROLET 2-Door Sedan Was \$350.00 1/2 Price Sale \$175.00	1948 NASH Ambassador 4-Door Radio, Heater, Overdrive Extra Good Was \$350.00 1/2 Price Sale \$175.00	1946 FORD V-8 - 2-Door Was \$195.00 1/2 Price Sale \$97.50
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1946 FORD 2-Door "6" Near New Motor Was \$245.00 1/2 Price Sale \$122.50	1949 FORD V-8 Sedan Was \$595.00 1/2 Price Sale \$297.50	1946 DODGE 4-Door Sedan Seat Covers, Heater, Clean Was \$395.00 1/2 Price Sale \$197.50	1949 OLDSMOBILE 4-Door Station Wagon V-8, Radio, Heater, Hydraulic Was \$695.00 1/2 Price Sale \$347.50

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XI—Real Estate for Sale

84—Houses for Sale
(Continued)

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LOTS FOR SALE, Phone 4861 after 8 p.m.

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86—Shore, Mountain, Lake for Sale

JIM'S POINT, where the owners of Jim The Wonder Dog lived, located on Lake of Ozarks, 6 miles southeast of Highway 5 on Lake Road 8 South. 40 acre tract has been surveyed to lots 100 feet wide, 100 feet deep. Cash or time. Contact John B. Ellison, Phone 6096, Sedalia, or write C. E. Martin, Gravois Mills, Box 129.

87—Suburban, Country for Sale

16 ACRES, improved, utilities, 2011 Ingram, all in blue grass, well fenced, nice garden, chicken yard, good barn and outbuildings, small house. Priced right. Joe Vaughan, La Monte, Phone Diamond 7-5953.

Probably Not Read

RICHMOND, Va. — Thomas P. Ayer, Richmond's head librarian, recalls that a Bible was the first book he bought for the library 31 years ago. It was stolen in the first six months.

Ayer says more textbooks are stolen than any other kind. The library is careful not to duplicate the wares of college book stores.

REAL ESTATE

Transfers

Logan M. Phillips and wife to Roy A. and Emily Lorraine Gibbs, Warranty Deed to property on south side of Sixth Street between Arlington and Garfield Avenues, \$1 and other consideration.

John F. Taylor to James M. Taylor, Warranty Deed to property at northwest corner of 14th Street and Garfield Avenue, \$1 and other consideration.

Eugene G. Gerrish and wife to Lawrence E. and Floann Y. Oswald, Warranty Deed to 80 acres of land, more or less, in LaMonte Township, \$1 and other consideration.

William R. Embree and wife to Laurie C. and Hazel V. Judd, Quit Claim Deed to property on west side of Carr Avenue between Sixth Street and Broadway Avenue, \$1.

R. A. Stark and wife and True Ulmer and wife to George R. and Esther M. Powell, Warranty Deed to property in the original Town of Green Ridge, \$1 and other consideration.

Sam W. Burger and wife to Flora E. Johns, Warranty Deed at northwest corner of Sixth Street and Kentucky Avenue, \$1 and other consideration.

S & A Development Co. to Elmer L. and Melissa I. McClung, Warranty Deed to property on east

XII—Auctions—Legals

91—Legal Notices

RESOLUTION NO. 148
A RESOLUTION declaring it necessary to bring to the established grade all that part of East Ninth Street for the purpose of constructing and to construct a concrete curb and gutter on both sides of East Ninth Street from the east line of Crescent Drive thence east to the west line of Arlington Avenue, all public streets within the City of Sedalia, Missouri.

BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the City of Sedalia, Missouri, as follows:

SECTION 1. The Council of the City of Sedalia, Missouri, finds, deems and declares it to be necessary to bring to the established grade all that part of East Ninth Street for the purpose of constructing and to construct a concrete curb and gutter on both sides of East Ninth Street from the east line of Crescent Drive thence east to the west line of Arlington Avenue, all public streets within the City of Sedalia, Missouri, according to the plans and specifications to be prepared by the City Engineer of said city, and to be on file with the City Clerk of said City on or before the 4th day of June, 1955.

SECTION 2. BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the City Engineer of said City of Sedalia, shall prepare plans and specifications for said work and improvement together with an estimate of the cost thereof, and shall file the same with the City Clerk of said City of Sedalia on or before the 4th day of June, 1955.

SECTION 3. BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the City Engineer of said City of Sedalia, shall prepare plans and specifications for said work and improvement together with an estimate of the cost thereof, and shall file the same with the City Clerk of said City of Sedalia on or before the 4th day of June, 1955.

SECTION 4. BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the City Engineer of said City of Sedalia, shall prepare plans and specifications for said work and improvement together with an estimate of the cost thereof, and shall file the same with the City Clerk of said City of Sedalia on or before the 4th day of June, 1955.

SECTION 5. BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that this resolution be published for seven (7) consecutive issues in the Sedalia Democrat-Capital, a daily newspaper of general circulation printed and published in said City of Sedalia, Missouri.

PASSED by the Council of the City of Sedalia, Missouri, on this 16th day of May, 1955.

JULIAN H. BAGBY,
President of the Council.

APPROVED by the Mayor of said City on this 17th day of May, 1955.

JULIAN H. BAGBY,
Mayor.

ATTEST with the Seal of said City: W. C. REAM, City Clerk.

(7x5-5-18, 19, 20, 22, 23, 24, 25)

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side of Southwest Blvd. between Stephenson and Anderson Avenues, \$1 and other consideration.

Kathleen Bernett, administratrix of the estate of Jessie T. Smith, deceased, to John W. and Mary V. Ward, property on south side of Broadway between Engineer and Wagner Avenues, \$2700.

Alma Borchers to Stephenson Construction Co., Quit Claim Deed to property at northwest corner of Gentry Avenue and Second Street, \$1 and other consideration.

Martin W. Lange and wife to Clifford P. and Virginia C. McGrath, Warranty Deed to property on south side of Sixth Street between Arlington and Garfield Avenues, \$1 and other consideration.

Samuel A. Caldwell and wife and Constance C. Seashore and husband to Everett E. and Mary Elizabeth Stevenson, Quit Claim Deed to property on south side of First Street between State Fair Blvd. and Gentry Avenue, \$1 and other consideration.

Floyd L. Lively and wife to Corrine Anderson Powell, Quit Claim Deed to property in the original plat of the Town of Georgetown, \$1 and other consideration.

Russell E. Peck and wife to James J. and Mary B. Chipman, Warranty Deed to property at northeast corner of Ninth Street and Limit Avenue, \$1 and other consideration.

O. A. Fowler and wife to Monty L. and Willie J. McQuitty, Warranty Deed to property at southwest corner of 13th Street and Hancock Avenue, \$1 and other consideration.

S & A Development Co. to John J. and Mary R. McGrath, Warranty Deed to property on east side of southwest Blvd. between Wing Avenue and Keyhole Court, \$1 and other consideration.

Clarence W. Stephenson and wife to Claude S. and Elona W. Carpenter, Warranty Deed to property on south side of Fifth Street between Warren and Beacon Avenues, \$1 and other consideration.

Marjorie Kerns Scott to Floyd D. Kerns, Warranty Deed to undivided half interest in property on west side of Summit Avenue, between Sixth and Seventh Streets, \$1 and other consideration.

Flora E. Johns to William A. and Birdie M. Howell and John and Ruth F. Vanderkamp, Warranty Deed to property at northwest corner of Second Street and Osage Avenue, \$1 and other consideration.

Stephenson Construction Co. to Fredrick A. and Estelle R. Wagner, Warranty Deed to property on south side of 11th Street between Park and Stewart Avenues, \$1 and other consideration.

Niebes Buso and wife to Jose and Enriqueta Buso, Quit Claim Deed to property on north side of Harvest Street between New York and Emmet Avenues, \$1 and other consideration.

Wilson J. Ferguson and wife to George F. and Judith V. D. Yeaman, Quit Claim Deed to property at southwest corner of Broadway and Vermont Avenues, \$1 and other consideration.

George F. Yeaman and wife to Charles S. and Mary L. Arnest, Warranty Deed to property at southwest corner of Broadway and Vermont Avenues, \$1 and other consideration.

Ben P. Robinson and wife to DeJarnette Agency, Inc., Warranty Deed to property at northeast corner of 11th Street and Herold Street, property on south side of 11th Street, east of Herold Street and property on north side of Dennis Road, east of Herold Street, \$1 and other consideration.

Melena J. Bulkley to Mildred J. Gramlich, Warranty Deed to property at southwest corner of Broadway and Monroe Avenues, \$1 and other consideration.

Anna J. Moore, Orinne J. Moore and Myrtle Moore to Milford O. and Maxine N. Griggs, Warranty Deed to property at southwest corner of 18th Street and Thompson Avenue, \$1 and other consideration.

Wayne B. Mountjoy and wife to Thomas F. and Rosalie A. Knight, Warranty Deed to property at northwest corner of 18th Street and Missouri Avenue, \$1 and other consideration.

Harry Woodbridge, guardian and curator of Barbara Lynn Bonds, a minor to William A. and Evelyn M. Labus as tenants by entirety, Guardian's Deed, private sale. An undivided 1/4 interest in property on south side of Third Street between Quincy and Park Avenues, \$2812.50.

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George L. Davis and wife and Betty P. Cable and husband to

Library Announces Book on Air Force Wife and Others

"The Air Force Wife," a new work of non-fiction at the Sedalia Public Library, will be of interest not only to wives of service men stationed at the Air Base, but to young Sedalia women who will become brides of service men. Nancy Shea, author of the book, writes that the "purpose of this book is to help the wives of Air Force officers and airmen to adjust themselves to the somewhat special environment which life in the service imposes. It will acquaint the young Air Force wife with the customs and traditions of the service and will save her the necessity of learning them by painful trial and error." Pointing out that the management of a service household requires a more flexible and adapted skill than is called for by a fixed civilian abode, Miss Shea adds that "home" may be a steamheated house at Mitchell AFB, a Quonset hut on Okinawa,

a trailer in Alaska or a castle on the Rhine. The success with which the Air Force wife meets her constant and important responsibility reflects directly on her husband's efficiency.

For a younger set of readers, the Library has a new book called "How to Be a Successful Teen-Ager," by William C. Menninger. Although many books have been published to help parents guide and help their teen-age children, this is the first one written for the teen-ager himself. The book neither looks nor reads like a textbook. It is charmingly illustrated with drawings that strike at the heart of the matter, and each chapter is devoted to a problem which the average teen-ager is likely to encounter, such as "exploring your personality," "making and keeping friends," "dating days," "growing up socially," etc.

The fourth edition of "Store Salesmanship," one of the most authoritative on this subject, has also been placed on the library's shelves. This book has had an important part in the continuing improvement of retail training.

Two books of special interest to farmers will be the new "Today's Agriculture" by Hammond and Woods, and "Dairy Farming" by W. E. Peterson. These books are both up-to-the-minute, and contain dependable facts and helps on these important phases of American life.

Sedalia Marine Plays With Corps Band For Armed Forces Day

Pfc. Gordon G. Strain, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon M. Strain, 1611 East Tenth Street, clarinetist with the Marine Corps Band will be a part of the band's radio presentations scheduled for the week beginning with Armed Forces Day, May 20.

The Marine Band programming is a part of a musical salute to the United States Armed Forces.

Cumberland Church Has Vacation School Beginning Monday

The Cumberland Presbyterian Church has announced the opening of the Daily Vacation Bible School on May 23, Monday through Friday, 9 to 11:30 a.m.

There will be classes for children from three to 15 years of age with songs, stories, games and crafts. The theme will be "Marching Together for Jesus."

The faculty will consist of the following members: Beginners Class, Mrs. John Swisher, Miss Kay Richardson; primary class, Mrs. Oliver Thomas, Mrs. W. L. Pearson, Miss Eleanor Hillman; junior class, Mrs. Lee Parker, Mrs. Omer Wadleigh, Miss Glenda Allison and Miss Charlene Davis; intermediate class, Mrs. Howard Gwinn and Miss LaVerna Fulton. Refreshments will be served.

Ben P. Robinson and wife to DeJarnette Agency, Inc., Warranty Deed to property at northeast corner of 11th Street and Herold Street, property on south side of 11th Street, east of Herold Street and property on north side of Dennis Road, between Griffith Avenue and Herold Street, \$1 and other consideration.

Leatha C. Reynolds to Alvin C. and Mary Frances Heynen, Warranty Deed to property on north side of Third Street between Massachusetts and Washington Avenues, \$1 and other consideration.

DeJarnette Agency, Inc., to Richard F. and June Marie Flippin, Warranty Deed to property at northeast corner of 11th Street and Herold Street.

R. R. Lujin and wife to Arthur Monroe and Doris Virginia Cook, Warranty Deed to property in Town of Smithton, \$1 and other consideration.

Committees are busy trying to collect the names and addresses of former students so they can be notified.

An estimated 1000 persons have attended Hinken School and now the school has become a part of the new consolidated district of Morgan County R-1. The present term of school will probably be the last one.

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Hicks Entertain Iowa Visitors; Will Kelb III

By Mrs. Herbert Hansen

LINCOLN—Mr. and Mrs. Clair Hicks and children, Iowa, are visiting her mother, Mrs. Lula Limpe and Kenneth.

Will Kelb has been quite ill at his home this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Ritter, Edwards, were overnight guests of Mrs. Mabel Clyman Tuesday. They also visited in the Fred Kreuger home. Mrs. Clyman accompanied them home for an extended visit.

According to a telephone call to Mrs. Beverly Roark this week from her husband, Earl, he plans to be home the last of this week. He has served abroad with the armed forces the past 17 months. He is the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. George Roark.

Bill Nichols, who for the past 15 months has been with the Army in Korea, was promoted to the rank of staff sergeant, according to a letter to his wife and baby daughter, Barbara Joyce. He has never seen his daughter. He expects to leave for the states June 24 and will be stationed in Colorado.

Flat Creek Baptist Has Memorial Service On Sunday, May 29

Memorial services will be held at the Flat Creek Baptist Church on Sunday, May 29.

This is also the annual homecoming day which has been a regular event at Flat Creek for many years. It was formerly held on the second Sunday before Memorial Day.

There will be Sunday School at the regular hour followed by the morning sermon by the pastor, the Rev. Gerald Hickson.

A contributive basket dinner will be served at the noon hour in the church basement.

Beginning at 2 p.m. the memorial service will consist of several musical numbers by visiting friends; recognition of former pastors, members and friends; the memorial sermon by the Rev. Orval Woolery, pastor of the First Baptist Church, Warsaw, and former pastor at Flat Creek; and also a talk by the Rev. Harold Evans, former pastor, now of Blue Springs, Mo.

Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

Kancac City Group In Burns Service

The Rev. Harry Price, choir and members of the Veteran Temple C. M. E. Church, Kansas City will have charge of services at Burns' Chapel at 3 o'clock this afternoon. Rev. J. Y. Jackson is pastor of Burns' Chapel.

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Sedalia Chapter No. 57, OES will meet in stated meeting on Tuesday, May 24, at 8 p.m. Visiting members welcome. Family night. Covered dish supper 6:30 p.m. Bring your own service. Coffee and rolls furnished.
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Miss Evelyn Davis Is Outstanding Graduate At Missouri Valley

One of the outstanding members of the graduating class of Missouri Valley College at Marshall is Miss Evelyn Davis, daughter of Mrs. L. Sullens, 509 1/2 East Fifth. Evelyn, who has been very active in college activities during her four years at Missouri Valley, will receive a Bachelor of Arts degree on June 5. She has majored in foreign languages, specializing in French. Upon her graduation Evelyn plans to do further study in French.

In her senior year Evelyn was elected to membership in "Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities" in recognition of her high scholarship and activity record. She has appeared consistently on the dean's honor list for academic attainment. She has been a member of both the acappella and vesper choirs of Missouri Valley and sang in the triple trio. She is also an active member of Alpha Xi Delta, national social sorority. This spring she reigned as senior class queen, an honor accorded her by the other members of the senior class.

George Guthrie Winner Of National Contest

George Guthrie, Warrensburg, son of Mr. and Mrs. Deane Guthrie, near LaMonte, has submitted one of the winning names in the Englander Sleepstakes contest. The winners of the national contest were announced recently by the sleep equipment firm.

Guthrie was awarded a \$500 prize, and is one of 36 winners chosen from nearly 200,000 entrants. He named the firm's newest advertising sleeping chamber.

Mrs. Guthrie is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gillman Scott, also of the LaMonte area.

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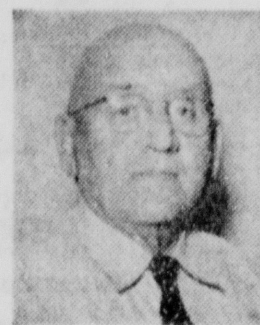
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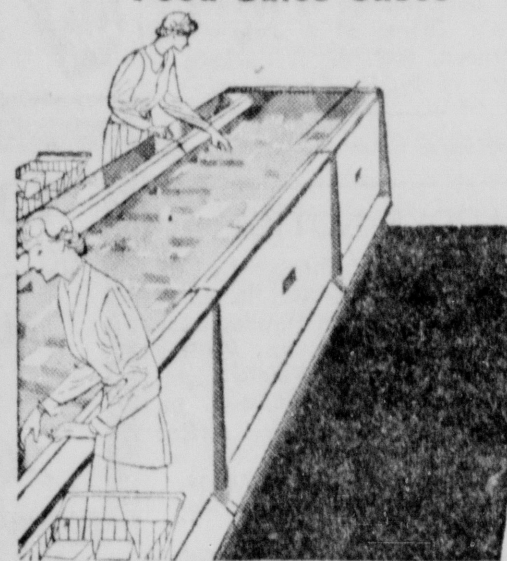
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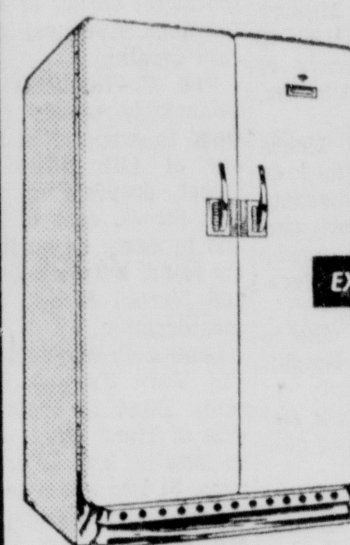
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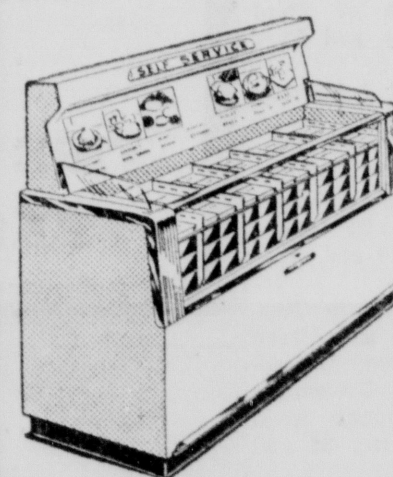


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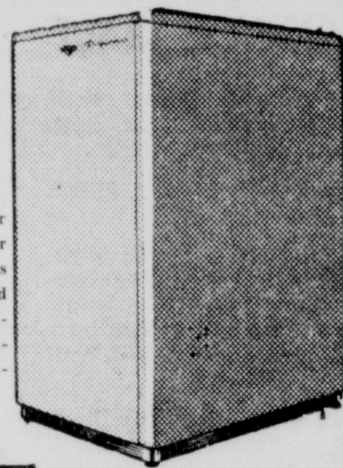
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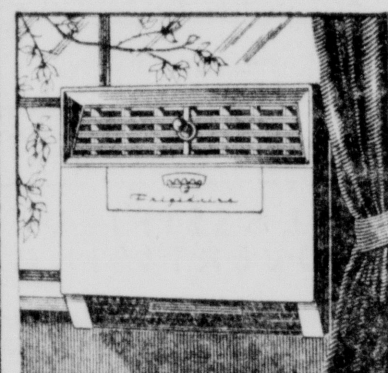
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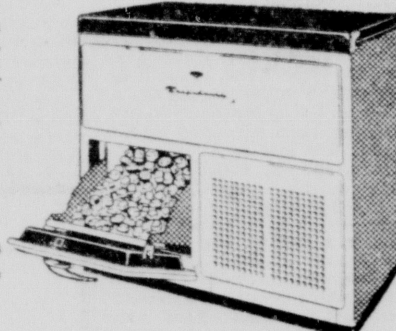
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By Dorothy V. Whipple, M.D. AP Newsfeatures

Every summer the fear of polio has sent cold shivers down the spine of almost every parent in the land. Now we can relax — at least we can as soon as the supplies of this precious new Salk vaccine are sufficient for all our children to receive their shots.

Parents have responded to this wonderful new milestone in the fight of man against disease with characteristic American enthusiasm.

I don't know what the final figures will show, but around Washington, at least 90 per cent of parents of first and second graders signed the slips giving permission to have their children given the vaccine in the schools. This is a wonderful tribute to the faith our people have in science.

These free shots for first and National Foundation of Infantile second graders are the gift of the Paralysis. The vaccine for all these children takes just about all that is available right now.

The parents of youngsters not in the first or second grade must wait until more vaccine can be made.

Since the vaccine takes time to make and to test, the supply will not be enough for everyone until sometime in the fall.

Children who are in the greatest danger of getting polio should be given the vaccine before those in less danger. The most susceptible age group is the youngsters between 5-10 years of age; next come the 1-5 years old, and finally the children over 10 and young adults.

Many parents have already put their children's names on doctor's lists and are anxiously waiting.

I'd like to give a tribute to all the mothers of my patients and to all other mothers like them. Not a one has asked for special favors. A real mother understands the feelings of other mothers and she will not try to push her youngster ahead of someone with a greater need. This sense of cooperation is the very life blood of our free and democratic land. It's what made Salk vaccine possible.

But it's hard to wait even though you know all the answers.

While you're waiting there is something you can do. Polio isn't the only disease we have conquered with vaccine.

Smallpox and diphtheria were once rampant in this land of ours. Now you seldom hear of a case — Why? Because we have shots against them. But these shots don't last a lifetime. They need to be repeated from time to time.

Smallpox vaccination should be

Grass Roots Ambassador—

Miss Shirley Yagel Describes Finnish Customs and Ideas About American Life

An interesting young woman whose 4-H training led to four months in Finland as an International 4-H Youth Exchange in 1954 told very vividly of life in that country as pictures she had taken were shown at a recent Maplewood 4-H Club meeting.

She is Miss Shirley Yagel, Brookfield, who lived during the four months in five different homes in Finland, not as a guest or a tourist, but as a member of the family.

Ages for 4-H exchange young people are from 20 to 30 and there is no government money used for the grass root ambassadors, as they are called. The money is provided by 4-H Clubs, extension clubs, civic clubs and individual donations. In Shirley's group going to Finland were five young people, four girls and a boy, and none of them except the boy could speak Finnish. He had come from a Finnish community but the others learned a little by phonograph records while going over.

Finland, she said, borders on Russia, but is not an iron curtain country. The people in the part of the country taken over by the Russians moved out and one of the families where Shirley stayed divided 26 times to make room for the people moving there.

Shirley said she was asked questions after question about the United States and she found out how little she knew about her country. Everybody there, she said, swims and skis and start in when they are just small children. Most of the families of Finland do not have cars although four of the five families she was with do. They think, however, that every American family has a flock of cars and the first thing the boys would ask her was how many Cadillacs her father had. A boy in one of the families apologized to her because they only had milk to drink in-

done once in infancy and again about seven years later. Are all your youngsters properly protected against smallpox?

Diphtheria shots usually are combined with tetanus and whooping cough and given in a series of three shots in infancy. Then one shot of all three should be given every two years until the youngster is in his teens. Are your children up to date on these booster shots?

If we become lax about these tried and true immunizations an epidemic of diphtheria or of small pox could do more harm than an epidemic of polio.

While you're waiting for your Salk vaccine check up on your children's other boosters.

instead of the whiskey and beer he said he knew she was accustomed to. Men offered her cigarettes and when she told them she didn't care for any they always said, "But you do smoke, don't you? All women in America smoke." She told them she didn't either smoke or drink. Some people did and some people didn't in her country, and she was one who didn't.

The food ideas were very different. Shirley found, and at times she had a little trouble getting the food down. She tried to do and eat the same things they did—but it wasn't always easy. One of their desserts was a curdled milk which they ate with sugar and cinnamon. She put plenty of sugar and cinnamon on it, she said, and with every mouthful the bowl seemed to get larger. They eat brown bread and do not like white bread. However, the last family bought her white bread. The meat is mostly pork but one day they served some kind of meat that looked like liver. She thought it pretty good until she found it was sheep blood. That is a very special Finnish dish, but Shirley could hardly eat the rest of it when she found what it was. Then there was the herrings that are put uncooked in brine and served as an appetizer. They even leave the heads on and don't take the eyes out. Shirley didn't see how she was ever going to eat it but she finally covered it up with potatoes so the little eyes couldn't look up at her and ate it, she said.

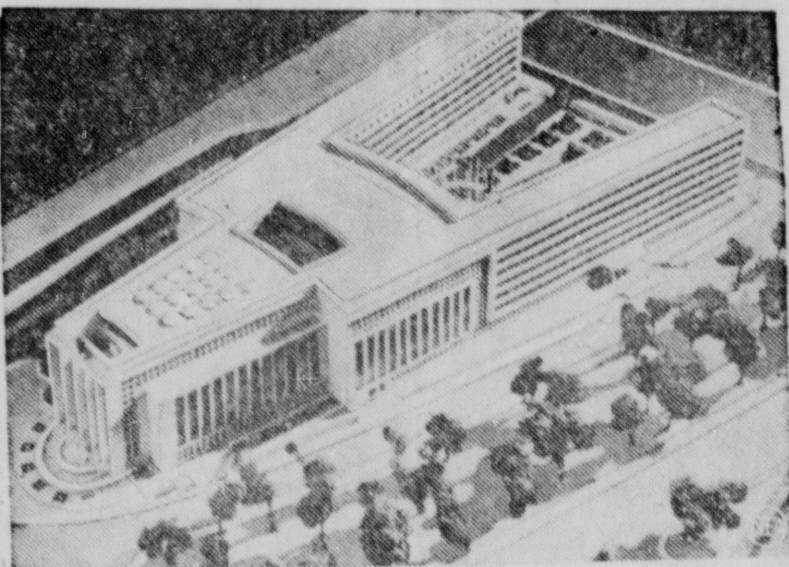
Orange juice in cans is some-

thing the Finnish people know nothing about and when the woman in one of the homes went to the store to buy some jam or something for Shirley the label on the can was in English and she couldn't read it. Home she came with orange juice and it was such a surprised family when they opened the can and found juice. They put half of it on the stove, she said, put sugar in it and cooked it, then they took it off and mixed it with water and everybody drank a little of it. What became of the rest of it she didn't know.

Before going to Finland Shirley said she rarely drank coffee but there they drink coffee all the time, for breakfast, noon, night and in between, not just one cup but at least three and if you don't take it the hostess thinks you don't like her coffee. Even the children drink it and the coffee costs them about \$13 a week.

Shirley told of the steam baths where everybody goes in the steam house on Saturday night, takes a steam bath, gets very hot and then go for a swim in the lake to cool off. They don't think much of our bathtubs, you can't get clean that way. You have to sweat to get the dirt off and Shirley said the dirt did come off and almost the hide, too. The first time she nearly died but she got so she rather liked the steam bath, though. In the winter they roll in the snow to cool off.

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while she was there and neither the mother or 23-year-old daughter wanted to clean before that time then they argued to see who was going to do the cleaning. They do not have the many appliances in Finland that they have here because they do not believe in installment buying.

They grow about everything they

eat, Shirley said, and when they asked her if they had potato diggers here like they have there, she told them she didn't know—she didn't know anybody who grew so many potatoes they had to have a digger to dig them. Shirley commented that the digger didn't pick the potatoes up and that was one of her jobs. They do not have

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much modern machinery because their farms are small, she said, and she broke the ice in the first home when she showed a picture of her father using a mule to plow instead of a tractor. That was their method.

The houses, she said, are rectangular and have two doors in front much like a duplex house here — but it is all one house and one door is the front door the other the back door. There is a law that states there must be a ladder on the roof of the house. That is so the chimney sweep who comes every so often can get up there.

The houses are frame and the barns are stone or brick. It is a dairy country and the women do the milking — they also work

in the fields, everybody does during the good weather because there is so much rain they have to take advantage of the nice days.

Everybody spoke Finnish except some of the young people, and Shirley found that even the horses didn't understand English. Every home had pets, mostly cats, which they kept in the house and some dogs.

The schools, Shirley said, were very much like ours, only religion is taught, too. They are almost all Lutherans. They believe in paying into the church but do not think it is necessary to attend to be a good Christian. They do think that good Christian lives should be lived. The churches are only in certain villages and too far to walk or ride bicycles.

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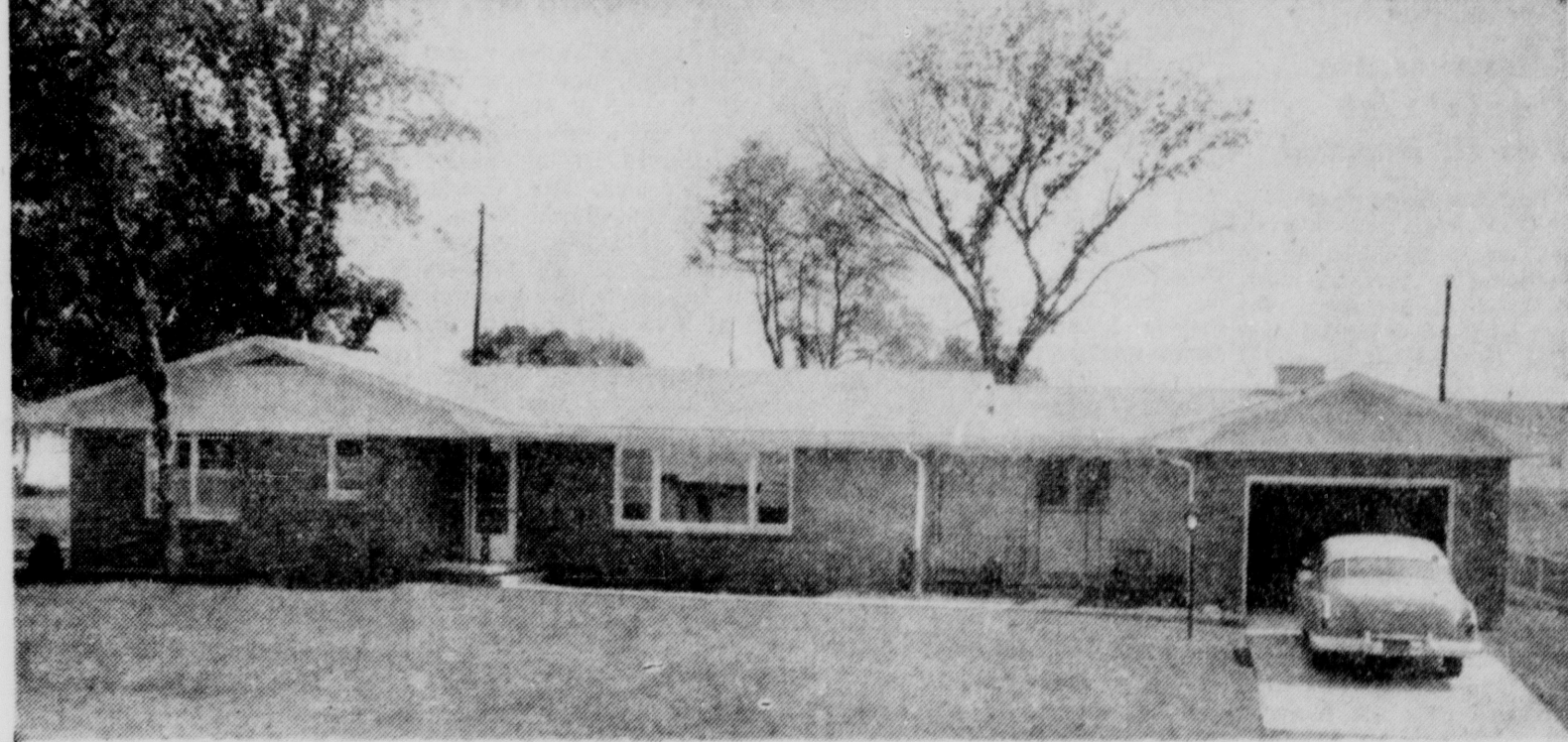
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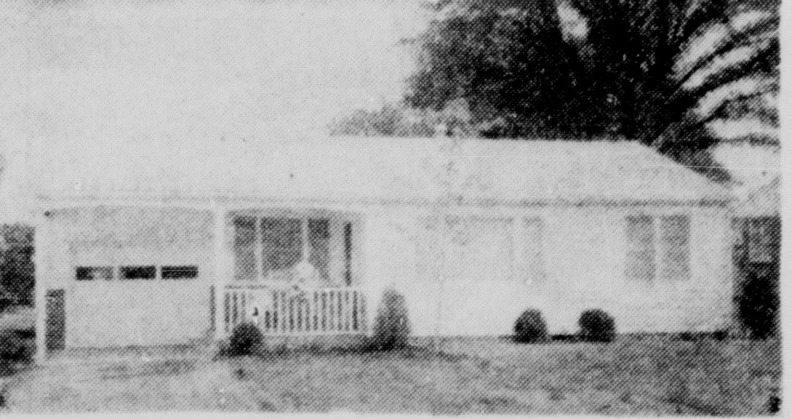
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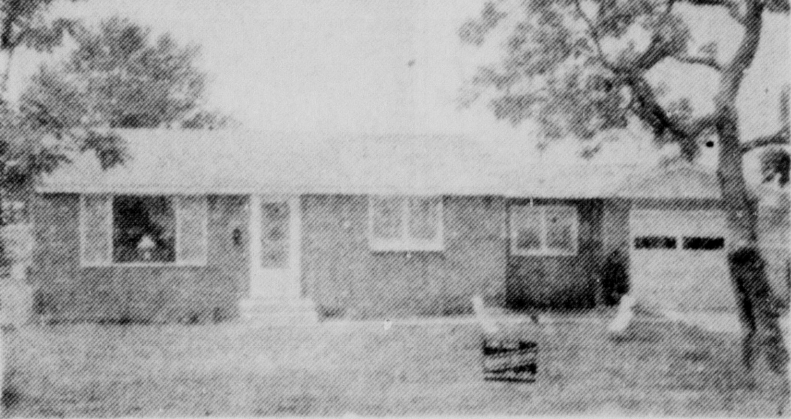
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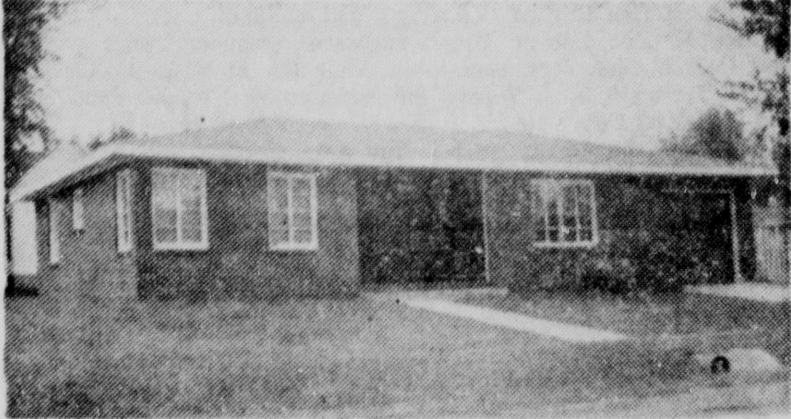
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Miss Patterson Is Sunday Bride Of H. Williams

At 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon, May 15, Miss Maxine Patterson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Patterson, Houstonia, became the bride of Mr. Henry E. Williams, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Mullins, Smithton, at the Houstonia Methodist Church. The double ring ceremony was performed by the Rev. W. B. Hollingsworth of Waverly, before a setting of gladioli, palms, candelabra and baskets of garden flowers.

Mrs. Alfred Roadus, aunt of the bride, led the traditional wedding march and "Because" as the candles were being lighted by Billy Gene Patterson, brother of the bride.

Given in marriage by her father the bride wore a gown of white Chantilly lace over satin. The full skirt was ballerina length and the fitted bodice buttoned to the neck which was finished with a small collar. The three quarter length sleeves featured small flared cuffs. Her small bonnet tiara of white satin trimmed with a white ostrich curl on the side held a veil of imported silk. She carried a bouquet of white carnations and white stephanotis.

Mrs. Vincent Cutler, sister of the bridegroom, wore a blue ballerina length dress and carried a colonial bouquet of pink carnations and stephanotis.

Mr. Manual Mullins served as his brother's best man. For her daughter's wedding Mrs. Patterson chose a light blue suit and white accessories. The bridegroom's mother was attired in a navy blue dress. Both mothers had corsages of white carnations.

Following the ceremony a reception was held in honor of the newlyweds at the home of the bride's parents.

Mrs. Taylor Cartee, sister of the bride cut and served the cake and Mrs. Vincent Cutler presided at the punch bowl. Mrs. Bobby Joe Mullins assisted in serving.

When the couple left on a wedding trip the new Mrs. Williams was wearing a blue suit. Her corsage was white carnations.

They are residing on a farm near Smithton.

The bride attended Houstonia High School.

The bridegroom received his discharge from military service in April after serving a year in Korea and the past six months in Hawaii. He is employed in Sedalia.

Progressive Club Has Luncheon; Adjourn Until Next September

Knob Noster Progressive Club held its last meeting of the year and had lunch at Sky Haven Wednesday.

Baskets of red roses centered the long table and a corsage of red roses was presented to each member. Miniature baskets at each place were filled with nuts and candy.

Mrs. Porter Murray, president, presided over the meeting and all reports for the past year were given.

During the first year of Mrs. Murray's presidency in the club the Knob Noster Kindergarten was organized and had a successful year when classes were held in the basement of Mr. and Mrs. O'Bannon Marshall's home. The past year the young mothers sponsored the Kindergarten and it was held in the Baptist Church basement.

The next club meeting will be held in September. Mrs. C. F. Covey is president for the coming year.

Bridal Shower Is Given Miss Priest

A miscellaneous shower was held in the lunch room of LaMonte School for Miss Bessie Priest, who is to be married soon.

Those attending were: Mrs. W. T. Hall, Mrs. L. Reavis, Mrs. E. Cole, Mrs. Tobe Hardin, Mrs. Jo Patton, Mrs. Uel Butler, Mrs. Scott Higgins, Mrs. D. Anderson, Mrs. S. McDaniels, Mrs. Lynn Edmundson, Green Ridge, Mrs. J. E. Fowler, Mrs. J. E. Farris, Mrs. Emma Kerby, Mrs. P. Gottschalk, Mrs. Pauline Bass, Mrs. R. M. Scott, Knob Noster, Mrs. A. Mahin, Mrs. Mary Maier, Mrs. Frank Breon, Mrs. Marion Hughes, Mrs. A. Eastep, Mrs. L. Eastep, Mrs. Herbert Gerker, Mrs. Jack Thomas, Mount Serrat, Mrs. J. Wilson, Sedalia, and Mrs. Edwin Rampf.

The girls of the eighth grade served refreshments.



Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Mulcahey, 402 East Third, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Patricia Ann, to Mr. Kenneth L. Ray, son of Mr. E. Ray Sedalia, and Mr. W. E. Ray, Boonville. The wedding will take place June 15. (Photo by Lehner)

Anita Hartman Becomes Bride Tuesday Evening

St. Andrew's Church was the scene of the wedding of Miss Anita Hartman and Mr. John Lang of Boonville on Tuesday, May 17.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe J. Hartman, Tipton, and the bridegroom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. George W. Lang, Boonville.

At 8:30 o'clock in the morning the double ring ceremony was performed by the Rev. H. J. Breit followed by a nuptial high mass.

The children's choir sang, "Ave Maria," "Panis Angelicus" and "On This Day Oh Beautiful Mother" assisted by Sister Lucy at the organ.

The bride given in marriage by her father was attired in a floor length nylon lace and net over taffeta gown. Lace fashioned the bodice, redingote panels and encircled the skirt. Her finger-ring veil was held in place with a tiara of orange blossoms. The bride's bouquet was of red roses with white streamers. She also carried a prayer book used by her mother at her wedding.

Miss Dolores Hartman wearing a blue ballerina length taffeta dress served her sister as bridesmaid. Her headress was of matching hue and she carried a bouquet of yellow carnations.

Lawrence Lang, cousin of the groom served as best man. Ushers were Mr. Joe Ed Hartman and Mr. Jerry Schuster.

The bride's mother wore a navy dress with white and navy accessories and her corsage was of pink carnations. The groom's mother was attired in a navy dress with white accessories and a corsage of white carnations.

A wedding dinner was served to the immediate family at the home of the bride's parents.

The bride is a graduate of Tipton High School.

The bridegroom graduated from Pilot Grove High School and is now with the army stationed at Fort Bliss, Texas.

The newlyweds will reside at 1801 North Piefra, El Paso, Tex.

Out-of-town guests attending the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. George W. Lang and daughter Eunice, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard A. Lang and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Grissum and son, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Larm, Miss Norma Lea Lang and Lawrence Lang and Fr. J. T. Hartigan, all of Boonville; Jerry Schuster, Blackwater; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Carson, Kansas City; Mr. and Mrs. John Gerke, Pilot Grove; Miss Dorothy Hartman and Miss Louise Jenkins, Kirksville.

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Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Bethke, 2100 South Ingram, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Dorothy, to Mr. Robert D. Smith, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert D. Smith, Charles City, Ia. (Photo by Lehner)

Engagement Is Told At Friday Luncheon

The engagement of Miss Mary Ann Menefee to Mr. David L. Donaldson of Warrensburg, was announced yesterday at a noon luncheon in the Magnolia Room, Bothwell Hotel.

Close friends of Miss Menefee were in attendance.

Miss Menefee is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Menefee, 623 West Fourth and Mr. Donaldson's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Leo V. Donaldson of Warrensburg.

Stork Shower Given To Honor Mrs. Lloyd Noel

Mrs. Lloyd Noel was honored with a stork shower at the home of Mrs. Grace Whittitt, Sweet Springs, May 12.

Decorations were green and white color. An umbrella was suspended from the chandelier with streamers falling to the corners of the table which was centered with a gibbon cradle and stocking doll.

Prizes were won by Mrs. Betty Baker, Mrs. Hazel Farmer and Mrs. Wilma Payne.

Hostesses were Mrs. Ruth Hall, Mrs. Mary McCandless, Mrs. Marjorie Hoffman, Mrs. Grace Whittitt and Mrs. Bernice Noel.

Refreshments were served to: Mrs. Mary Parker, Mrs. Beulah Moore, Mrs. June Taylor, Mrs. Mary Crain, Mrs. Lillian Crain, Mrs. Carol Hinck, Miss Marilyn Whittitt, Mrs. Jeanne Thomas, Miss Sherry Baker, Mrs. Iva Hale, Mrs. Hazel Farmer, Mrs. Leone Smith, Mrs. Charlene Bredehoff, Mrs. Edith Hall, Mrs. Wilma Payne, Mrs. Betty Baker, Mrs. Marie Langston and Miss Susan Hall.

Unable to attend but sending gifts were: Mrs. Emma Meador, Mrs. Martha Lewis, Mrs. Marlene Scott, Mrs. Betty Wingfield, Mrs. Ethel Koenke, Mrs. P. W. Heiser, Mrs. A. C. Dierking, Mrs. Laura Turner, Mrs. A. F. Noel, Mrs. Erma Lawson, Mrs. Lou Wall, Mrs. Verna Tolson, Mrs. David Weems, Dr. and Mrs. P. W. Davis.

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Mrs. Whitfield Is Honored At Cradle Shower

Mrs. Charles Mathews and Mrs. Irene Kroenke entertained with a cradle shower in honor of Mrs. Dale Whitfield at the home of Mrs. Leon Swope, 1820 West Fifth, May 18.

Games were played with prizes going to Mrs. Faye Croy, Mrs. Henry Thomas and Mrs. L. G. Whitfield.

Refreshments were served after Mrs. Whitfield had opened her gifts.

Invited guests were: Mrs. Whitfield, Mrs. R. Rieger, Mrs. William Ray, Mrs. J. E. DeLapp, Mrs. Dale Miller, Mrs. Ellis Garrett, Mrs. W. T. Bodine, Mrs. L. V. Croy, Mrs. Ross R. Harkless, Mrs. Leon Swope, Mrs. Sue Taylor, Mrs. L. G. Whitfield, Mrs. Ray Nelson, Mrs. Harold Whitfield, Mrs. George Hewitt, Mrs. J. H. Thomas, Mrs. J. D. Foster, Mrs. T. N. Cowan, Mrs. Leone Hodges, Mrs. John Mais, Mrs. Wayne Alexander and Mrs. Robert Alexander.

The American Association of University Women honored the senior girls from Sacred Heart and Smith-Cotton High Schools with a tea in the Ambassador Room at Bothwell Hotel May 10, from 4 to 5 p. m.

Mothers of the girls were special guests.

The room was attractive with arrangements of spring garden flowers and the table centerpiece was of red and pink peonies with candles in silver candelabra on either side.

Approximately 100 girls mingled with each other and presented their mothers to their hostesses.

Greeting the guests were, the current president and vice-president, Mrs. Gertrude Roe and Miss Edna Snell and the incoming officers, Mrs. Thelma Cook and Mrs. James Perry.

A string ensemble from Smith-Cotton, under the direction of Mrs. Carl Schrader, provided the music during the afternoon. Those participating were Larry Owen, Teddy Walsh, Susan Schien, Karen Crosslin, Judy Case, Mary Margaret Hall, Don Yount, Wayne Sievers, Barbara Mabry, Barbara Elliott and David Hall.

The social committee with Mrs. Philip McLaughlin chairman, was in charge of the arrangements. Other members of the committee were Miss Hazel Barnett, Mrs. E. M. Stafford, Jr. Miss Edna Snell and Miss Marion Keens.

Mrs. Suhl was in charge of the devotional and was assisted by Mrs. S. O. Brill, who gave the closing prayer. Mrs. R. T. Wehmeier, vice-president conducted the business session at which time she reported on the conference meeting at Joplin in April. The group voted to sponsor the trip of two girls to attend the annual house party at Kansas City June 26-July 1.

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A dance for all Smith-Cotton graduates and their dates was given at the Sedalia Country Club following commencement exercises Thursday evening by Miss Judy Scruton, Miss Peggy Garanson and Miss Susie Lansdowne, members of the graduating class.

The club was decorated with pink and white tissue carnations. The fireplace was attractively decorated with pink carnations and small white trees trimmed with the pink tissue carnations.

Two hundred graduates and their dates danced to music of George Young's orchestra.

Refreshments were served.

Other invited guests were Mrs. Thelma Cook and J. W. Atkinson, senior class sponsors, Mr. and Mrs. Forest Drake, Mr. and Mrs. Heber Hunt and Mr. and Mrs. Pinkney Miller.

Homemakers Discuss Tours For Summer

The Georgetown Homemakers Club met May 18 with Mrs. H. W. Schlutz, Mrs. A. F. Mittelhauser and Mrs. W. D. Dunham were co-hostesses.

A contributive dinner was served at noon to 21 members, one guest and several children. A lesson on home management was given by Mrs. Herbert Richards. During her talk she passed samples of materials of all types and of rugs and anchors. She concluded her talk by reading a poem, "Home." Roll was answered with "A Needed Home Improvement." Mrs. John Silsby reported on the council meeting she attended in April. A quiz game "What Do You Know About Milk and Cheese" was led by Mrs. C. V. Huddleston. The club voted to give money towards furnishing the 4-H club with labels for their achievement day exhibits.

Discussions were made on some tours that can be made by the club this summer. Mrs. George Curry reported on a community improvement meeting.

Mrs. C. E. Wells and Mrs. W. W. Dittmer had a display of baskets of various shapes and sizes which they had made. Mrs. W. L. Alexander led the game "Fish." Mrs. Charles Moore will be hostess June 15 with Mrs. Ed Curry assisting.

'India' Is Topic Of Circle Program

The evening circle of Sweet Springs Christian Church met May 11 in the fellowship hall at the church.

Mrs. Charles Worley, president, conducted the business meeting. Mrs. Howard Reavis, president of CWF gave a short talk. The program on "India" was given by Mrs. J. D. Lynch and Mrs. Dewey Sims.

Hostesses were Mrs. Alva Crowder and Mrs. D. R. Eaton.

Education Class Has Luncheon Thursday

Jefferson School Parent Education Class luncheon was held Thursday in the lunch room.

Mrs. Jess Raybourne gave the invocation and Mrs. Orville Dolson presided.

The color scheme of yellow and lavender was carried out. Cut flowers completed the decorations. Lunch was served to 50 teachers and class members.

Social Calendar

MONDAY

Willing Tilters Sunday School Class of Epworth Church meets with a contributive supper at 6:30 p.m. in church dining room.

TUESDAY

Smithton WSCS will have an officer's Training day at the home of Mrs. Earl Muschaney.

WEDNESDAY

Auxiliary No. 173, United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of America, meet at 8 p.m. at Union Hall, 2nd and Lamine to initiate new members.

Wesleyan Service Guild of the Fifth Street Methodist Church will meet at the home of Miss Ruth Burford, 1625 West 16th at 7:30 p.m.

Daughters of Isabella meet at Knight of Columbus Hall.

Prairie Ridge Extension Club meets for covered dish dinner with Mrs. Jim Montgomery.

Houstonia Woman's Club will have a mother-daughter tea at 7:30 p.m. with Mrs. Jack Morris.

Club Members Learn To Make Baskets

Camp Branch Homemakers Club met May 17 with Mrs. Lloyd Arnett.

Mrs. Jack Stevens presided over the meeting in the absence of the president. Roll was answered by all naming "A Dish That Will Add More Milk to the Diet." A wiener roast at the Eldon Arnett home was discussed. The father's day dinner will be a community affair and will be held June 19 at the home of Buell Hoard.

Mrs. John Butler reported on the diet meeting she attended. Mrs. Lloyd Arnett and Mrs. Buell Hoard demonstrated the basket making. All members then made baskets.

Those enjoying the wiener roast at the E. Arnett home were: Mr. and Mrs. Elias Arnett, Miss Gladys Arnett, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Haight, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Arnett, Richard and Dale, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Bullard, Jackie and Wayne, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stevens, Anna and Jackie, Mr. and Mrs. Buell Hoard, Ellen, Harold and Ray, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Arnett, Louise, Junior and Ann, Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Arnett, Melvin, Harvey and Robert Tucker.

Give Hint for Sewing In Answer to Roll

A contributive dinner was served May 19 to the Bennett Extension Club at the home of Mrs. Raymond LaRue.

Following the dinner Mrs. Emory Gunn conducted the business session. Mrs. LaRue had charge of the devotional and roll was answered with a hint for easier sewing. One hint was to pin a bath towel around the machine lid to keep the material from slipping to the floor. Fourteen members and four guests were in attendance. Members wrote a note to two club members, Mrs. Ozella Gregory and Mrs. Perdith Gregory, who are in California.

Mrs. Jean F. Schumacher and Mrs. L. H. Hodges showed two films on cancer.

A shower was given for the Leonard Howery family. The Howery home was recently destroyed by fire.

The next meeting will be June 16 with Mrs. Emory Gunn.

Memorial Services

Memorial services and children's day exercises will be held at Mt. Pleasant Church, south of Lincoln, May 29.

The Rev. Willie Robinson will deliver the sermon at 11 a.m. following Sunday School. The children's program will follow the noon meal.



Mr. and Mrs. W. A. McMillen

W. McMillens Observe 50th Wedding Day

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. McMillen, 1001 East 11th, are observing their golden wedding anniversary with open house this afternoon from 2 until 4 o'clock at their home.

W. A. McMillen and Miss Maude E. Smith were married in Sedalia May 17, 1905 at the home of the officiating minister, The Rev. J. B. Fuller, a Baptist minister.

They have spent their entire married life in Sedalia. Mr. McMillen is a retired MKT conductor. They are the parents of two sons, Walter Harold McMillen, Macon, and David Andrew McMillen, Kansas City. They have six grandchildren.

Double Treble Club Has Magazine Trade

The Double Trebles met at the home of Mrs. Kenneth Mickens, 1720 South Ohio, Thursday for a covered dish dinner.

A magazine exchange was held during the evening.

A surprise stork shower was given in honor of Mrs. George Bain. The next meeting will be held June 17 at the home of the club president, Mrs. W. R. Thomas, 409 West 20th.

Entertain With Party At Home of Mother

Mrs. Harold Edmonds, Lincoln, entertained with a party at the home of her mother, Mrs. Jude Burkhardt, Windsor, Wednesday afternoon.

The afternoon was spent playing games.

Refreshments were served to: Mrs. Wallace Dundas, Mrs. Norman Gerken, Mrs. Oliver Kreissler and Dillard, Mrs. Truman Stevens and Judy, Mrs. Zack Means, Mrs. Barton Miller and Miss Jennie Perry.

Kola Club Plans A Basket Dinner

Florence Kola Club met Wednesday night at the school house. Nine members answered roll by reading a poem. Mrs. Joe Kanenbley had charge of the meeting. It was voted to meet at the Park in June and have a clean-up day and basket dinner. Beta Micholkeesky was in charge of the program. Gladys Williamson sang and played the violin.

Refreshments were served.

Want a light dessert for Sunday dinner? Empty a No. 2 can of applesauce into a pie plate. Top with marshmallows and place under the broiler until the applesauce is hot and the marshmallows are puffed and lightly browned.

Square Dance Patter

The Sedalia Square Dance Association closed its spring series of dances Friday night at Smith-Cotton cafeteria. "Red" Warrick, Kilgore, Tex. was the caller, "Red" flew from Shreveport, La. to Springfield and there met some of the dancers who were coming here for the dance. This was his initial visit to Missouri. He was scheduled to call in Baton Rouge Saturday night and then continue his tour through the southeast.

The dance was well attended. Six couples from Springfield as well as four couples from Boonville were among those attending.

Donald Donath announced that the "Charlie" Gross refresher course was scheduled to start Tuesday, May 31 at Convention Hall. The refresher course has been planned as a tribute to Charlie Gross, who was one of the first instructors to teach square dancing here. All square dancers, who were in any of his early classes are invited to attend as well as any other dancers, who would like to be brought up to date on their dancing. Contact Ivan Berry for full details. Donath also announced that plans have been completed to bring caller Ray Smith, "The Texas Giant", here for a dance, June 4.

Circles Square Dance Class enjoyed a picnic Thursday night at Liberty Park in honor of Damon Hieryonmus, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Donath and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond McCarty.

Others present were: Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Anderson and son, Mr. and Mrs. John Loague, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Mickens and family, Mr. and Mrs. Rudy Rouchka, Mr. and Mrs. George Whitman, Mr. and Mrs. William Nicholson and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Stan Montgomery and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ira DeJarnette and son, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Thompson and son, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Cordry and son, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Marschel and sons.

Do-C-Do Square Dance Club meets at Convention Hall at 8 p.m.

Dr. Maddox Attends Post Graduate Course

Dr. A. R. Maddox, Sedalia, attended Thursday the post-graduate course presented by the staff of Children's Mercy Hospital in Kansas City. A number of children with their case histories were presented to the group, especially those who were being treated with the latest drugs and surgery.

Mercy Hospital is one of the participating agents in the local annual community chest drive of which Clinton Muller is general chairman.

Eighth Graders Hold Graduation At Knob Noster

Knob Noster eighth grade graduation exercises were held in the multi-purpose room of the new elementary building Wednesday evening. Mrs. R. F. Rhinehart played "Pomp and Circumstance" as the 30 graduates entered. Rev. Luther J. Villars, pastor of Knob Noster Christian Church, invocation; song, "My Creed" and "On the Mall", graduates; class history, Terry Duniho; address, Rev. Donald G. Smith, pastor of Knob Noster Presbyterian Church; presentation of diplomas and awards, Supt. James E. Jageman; Sue Kuhlman, 7th grader, lighted the candles of the graduates after they sang "Follow the Glean"; benediction, Rev. Raymond Rumbo, pastor of Knob Noster Methodist Church.

Eighth graders are: Clauden Allen, Evelyn Anderson, Larry Bagby, Kay Baker, Roger Bicker, Larry Brant, Eunice Brown, Dale Church, Larry Cockrum, Hazel Collett, Beverly Crowley, Darlene Droege, Terry Duniho, Anna Elsea, Evelyn Frerking, Dorothy Gottschalk, Melba Higgins, Duane Judd, Donald Kuhlman, Barbara Lane, Ruth Markham, Delores Norman, Ronald Rehkop, Bruce Stillwell, Raymond Sutherland, Joyce Warren, Larry Wharton, Wayne Wilkins, Judy Wimer and Alice Pearl Zink.

Those with perfect attendance were: Darlene Droege, Dorothy Gottschalk, Hazel Collett, Donald Kuhlman, Dale Church, Joyce Warren and Alice Zink.

Reading circle certificates went to: Barbara Lane, Ronald Rehkop, Dorothy Gottschalk, Donald Kuhlman, Duane Judd, Alice P. Zink, Beverly Crowley, Larry Brant, Larry Wharton, Clauden Allen, Joyce Warren, Judy Wimer, Kay Baker and Terry Duniho. Kay Baker and Alice Zink received life reading circle certificates, having received certificates for eight years.

About Town

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Brown, 505 West 11th, have returned home from a two week vacation spent in the East. Mr. Brown was delegate to the convention of Brotherhood Railway Clerks held May 8-14 at Boston, Mass. While in the east they visited in New York and Washington, D. C.

Wuelfing Music Appreciation Series Complete

Albert Wuelfing will bring to a close the music appreciation series he has been conducting at the Sedalia Public Library, on Monday evening, at 7:30. The tenth and final lecture will be a resume of the preceding nine.

During the course of the series, Wuelfing has discussed the difference between popular and classical music, the composers of the past, the instruments of the orchestra, absolute music as compared to program music, the sonata form, song forms and the opera. His closing lecture will briefly touch on these subjects, as well as give pointers on the enjoyment of good music. As usual phonograph records will be played to demonstrate points of the lecture.

The public is free to attend this lecture, which is sponsored by the Sedalia Public Library.

Vacation Bible School Planned at Houstonia

A group met at the Community Church parsonage Monday night to plan Vacation Bible School. Plans are to start Monday, May 23, with hours from 1:30 to 4 p.m. The Community and Methodist churches will join in this school and will be held at the high school.

A cemetery board meeting was held May 19 at the home of Miss Mary E. Tevebaugh. Election of officers was held for the coming year. The following were re-elected: Mr. Elvin Killian, chairman; James Blackburn, vice chairman; Mrs. Jay Dorsey, secretary; and Miss Mary E. Tevebaugh, treasurer. The annual memorial services will be held at the cemetery May 29 with the Rev. Robb of Range Line in charge.

Count on getting 16 to 20 stalks of asparagus in a pound. This amount will serve three to four persons — depending on what the vegetable is served with. For a spring-time lunch, offer the drained cooked stalks on hot buttered toast and top with a cheese sauce and sliced hard-cooked eggs. Sprinkle the egg slices with paprika or minced parsley.

Sweet Springs Seniors Take Tour of Ozarks

The senior class of Sweet Springs High School spent Monday and Tuesday at Woods Lake Cave. They were accompanied by their sponsor, Miss Lois Spears and Mrs. Scott. The group enjoyed swimming, boating and hiking. They took a trip to Bagnell Dam and rode on the Larry Don. Enroute home they visited the Reptile Garden and Jacobs' Cave.

Want a pretty garnish for that platter of sliced cold meats? Slip sprigs of water cress through carrot rings, scallions through radish rings.

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Valuations Ups And Downs...

Something like progressive development in Pettis County seems to be reflected in an announcement by County Assessor Jerry Trotter that real estate and personal property assessments for January 1, 1955, show an increase of \$942,290 over the previous year, made up mostly by assessment of new houses in new subdivisions and elsewhere.

A substantial part of this increase is in Sedalia even though it might not be as much as anticipated in preliminary guesstimates.

In Sedalia the 1954 assessed valuation of real estate was \$14,161,220, but this figure will fall short of the 15 million mark in 1955.

Speaking of valuations, an interesting sidelight on this subject is revealed by an analysis of the 1954 figures by wards in Sedalia, as follows:

First Ward	\$4,458,060.00
Second Ward	798,850.00
Third Ward	2,883,230.00
Fourth Ward	6,021,080.00
Total	\$14,161,220.00

In the equitable distribution of city funds for improvement purposes these figures and those for 1955 when available might serve as a key to the city fathers when they are harrassed by demands from the taxpayers of the individual wards. Allocation shouldn't be done on a decimal-splitting basis, however, but the figures do represent an interesting comparison for study.

V.H.F. vs U.H.F. Technical But Also Vital

From the proceedings of the Federal Communications Commission in Washington, it appears that more than a little controversy is developing over alleged network control of television.

At present the F.C.C. does not regulate the television networks as such, chief of which are the Columbia Broadcasting System, the National Broadcasting Company, the American Broadcasting-Paramount Theatres, Inc. and Du Pont. But the F. C. C. does enact regulations for individual television stations, including those owned by the networks.

The question of whether or not networks should be especially controlled was raised most pointedly by retiring F. C. C. Commissioner Frieda Hanneck. Commissioner Hanneck has accused the networks of using their own "monopolistic" controls to thwart the development of the newer ultra high frequency (U.H.F.) stations, which are trying to compete with the very high frequency (V.H.F.) stations, already well-established by the networks.

Perhaps this partly technical question does not at the moment interest too many Americans, for of the 32,000,000 television sets in the nation it has been estimated that only 5,000,000 are equipped to receive U.H.F. telecasts. But Commissioner Hanneck suggested that, among other things, the F.C.C. should initiate a national campaign to inform the public that they are buying sets that cannot tune into 85 per cent of potential television (namely, the U. H. F. Channels 14 to 38). She has also suggested F. C. C. measures to facilitate transmission of U. H. F. receiving equipment.

Many a TV-viewer will want to learn more about the U. H. F. vs. V. H. F. when Congress begins investigating the problem later this year.

What'll you have?

The Washington Merry-Go-Round—World Looks Brighter Despite Bungling

By Drew Pearson

(Ed. Note—Drew Pearson's column today takes the form of a letter to his daughter, Mrs. George L. Arnold.)

Dear Daughter, I am writing this on your youngest son's first birthday. And I have been thinking of the responsibility the statesmen of the world carry on their shoulders on behalf of this one-year-old baby and all the other children of the world who grow up to face the prospect of atomic war. It isn't their fault that their elders have bungled. It isn't their fault that we have so perfected the weapons of war that if war comes today it might destroy all civilization.

That's the kind of world—through no fault of their own—these children will have to live in. And those are some of the things I can't help thinking about when I change your young son's pants in the morning.

However, I begin to detect a few faint signs of hope on the horizon—not so much because of the leadership we have given but because of the Kremlin's failures in Russia.

The Big Four conference this summer could hold a lot for the future of your one-year-old and his two elder brothers. But we backed into it by accident instead of leading the world into it.

Mr. Dulles agreed to it only because the British conservative government insisted on it as an election gesture, and because Anthony Eden was worried sick he would be defeated next Thursday. Politics is no good reason for holding vitally important diplomatic conferences, yet politics is what is governing our foreign policy today—both domestic politics and politics to help our allies abroad.

Treaty to Outlaw War I remember an incident that occurred when you were a small baby and I was on a special assignment for the New York Times to accompany Secretary of State Frank B. Kellogg to Paris to sign his treaty to outlaw war. Kellogg and his treaty were ahead of his time. But he was proud of his treaty, and, though a Republican, he didn't

Guest Editorial—

WARRENSBURG (Mo.) STAR - JOURNAL: THOSE WHO COUNT. If you ask a resident who the "really big persons" in his community are, you would probably get a variety of answers. Some define bigness as the acquisition of wealth, others see it as the attainment of high office. Many of the most important people in any community are unrecognized as such.

They are the people who are always ready to help with community projects, eager for the chance to serve. They are active in church work, in service and fraternal clubs, in parent-teacher groups. They are interested in politics—not necessarily with any desire for gaining office themselves but to see that the offices are filled by the best qualified.

Such people do not intentionally hide their light under a bushel. They are so busy lighting up dark corners that they do not have time to stand in the glow themselves.

When really useful men and women in the community die their record of service is belatedly stated in their obituaries. Yet these people are more interested in being a credit to their town than in getting credit from it. They are the backbone of the community—the really big people.

A look at real estate valuation figures for Sedalia in 1930 indicate another one if those imponderables. Valuation then was \$16,524,920 whereas in 1954 it is shown as \$14,161,220 albeit it is on the upswing now.

That represents a decrease in real values in Sedalia of \$2,363,700. Now for those who like something controversial—here's something to chew on.

From 1930 on Sedalia's real property valuations continued to drop during the depression years to the 11 million plus bracket, and thus on down to \$11,174,140, the lowest in 1942. From then on there was a yearly increase until the 1954 figure of \$14,161,220.

Also, there's another side of the assessed valuation story. In 1930 assessed valuation on personal property was \$2,177,990 but that now has jumped to \$4,800,370—the considerable increase of \$2,622,380.

This would indicate the tax load has been taken off real estate and put on personal because real estate valuations have decreased \$2,363,700 whereas personal has increased \$2,622,380 which places the overall increase of 1954 over 1930 within the narrow limits of only \$258,680 in 25 years.

Of course the tax levy has gone up during that time, too. High valuations and a low levy; low valuations and a high levy. They both bring about the same revenue.

What'll you have?

As Sedalia Sees It—

Gunston Hall Is Perhaps More Remarkable Than Mt. Vernon

By Esther Van Wagoner Tuft

Democrat-Capital Washington Correspondent

WASHINGTON —A friend of George Washington had a home in nearby Virginia that would be "must" on any sightseer's list if the capital were not so rich in historic shrines.

Right on the Potomac, a few miles beyond Mount Vernon is Gunston Hall, the former home of George Mason, who was largely responsible for our Bill of Rights.

This June 12th marks the 200th anniversary of the building of Gunston Hall, which is perhaps more remarkable architecturally than either the home of Washington or Lee's Mansion atop Arlington Memorial Cemetery.

The Virginian, George Mason, would be proud of the restoration of his home, a task painstakingly executed by a Board of Regents appointed from the National Society of the Colonial Dames of America. That 250 feet of boxwood he planted is now 12 feet high.

Maybe after June 12th more tourists to Washington will manage to see Gunston Hall because of the forthcoming anniversary celebration. Secretary of Defense Charles E. Wilson is to tell more about the life and accomplishments of George Mason. It was Mason's Declaration of Rights adopted by the Virginia House of Burgesses at Williamsburg which formed the basis of the Bill of Rights. He's often called the grandfather of the First Amendment which guarantees a Free Press.

It is seen as particularly fitting want it to be claimed as a Republican victory. He wanted it to be an American victory, an American milestone for peace.

So, from his ship coming home, I radioed Frederick Birchell, editor of the Times, asking him to radio me a query as to whether Kellogg was going to let his treaty become a football of politics. Birchell radioed back the query. I showed it to Kellogg, he gave me an emphatic statement, and it was picked up by all newspapers.

After we got back to Washington, Kellogg sent for me and told me that Herbert Hoover, then Secretary of Commerce and then running for President, had bawled him out because of my story. For a moment Kellogg seemed to think I had made the story too strong, but finally he concluded: "I'm glad you wrote it that way."

Partly because of that, his treaty was promptly ratified by the Senate, not as a Republican achievement, but as a Republican - Democratic achievement.

Kellogg, as I said, was ahead of his time. Today what we need is another treaty to outlaw war. And this time, with the world facing awesome, gruesome atomic-hydrogen destruction, the terms of such a treaty might well be kept.

Today also we need the same bipartisanship that Kellogg started. Today, in contrast, when Secretary Dulles goes abroad and when Eisenhower sits in the White House, they are much more concerned about what Senator Knowland will think than about what's good for your children and the millions of other children who represent the future of the United States.

What Senator Knowland says about Quemoy and Matsu is relatively unimportant. Whether Eisenhower and Dulles are elected to office again is also relatively unimportant. What happens to millions of children in another war is important.

And today we have been worrying about two little islands off the China coast, mere spits in the ocean which nobody ever heard about until Senator Knowland made them famous; when instead we should be watching the big things that are happening in Europe, where the people of Russia and the people behind the Iron Curtain are getting so restless that they're almost in silent revolt.

This, according to all my information, is why the Kremlin has become so conciliatory of late. This is why the prospects for peace look better. For, though we've fallen behind Russia on many types of weapons, I think we have unwittingly developed one all-important secret weapon—the Russian people.

In the long run, you can usually depend on people to react the right way, and the restless stirring of the people behind the Iron Curtain against their Soviet rulers today is the most important development since the end of the war and is why I feel quite hopeful that maybe your youngest son who throws my papers on the floor and disrupts my mornings will grow up in a happier more peaceful world. Lots of love, Your Father.

Thought For Today—

But with the precious blood of Christ, as of a lamb without blemish and without spot: — I Peter 1:19.

By Christ's purchasing redemption, two things are intended, His satisfaction and His merit.—Edwards.

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It is seen as particularly fitting that Secretary Wilson is to be the speaker, because Mr. Mason was adamant that the military be subordinated to the civilian leaders in the government. He feared the military-in-government.

On the same day Dr. Richard H. Howland, chairman of the Art Department of Johns Hopkins University, will speak about the house itself and its famous architect, William Buckland. On this occasion Buckland's portrait by Charles Willson Peale will be on loan from the Garvan Collection of Yale University.

Democrat Pick-Ups

Odds and Ends By News Staff

A VACUUM cleaner salesman who has a little gadget on his machine that cleans clothes refuses to demonstrate it. One day he proudly was showing a woman how the gadget worked by running it over her coat and thought nothing of the amount of dirt he was able to show her that came out of her coat. Yes, he thought nothing of it only that he had a wonderful little gadget there — but the woman didn't like the idea of him showing how dirty her coat was and he missed a sale. Now, he only tells about the gadget — he doesn't show how it works. — H.L.

Her Junk Pile

She stood beside the junk pile Far back upon her farm, And on her face there was a smile, The sunshine felt so warm; There gleaming the shiny tin and glass Thrown on the rubbish stack And through her mind began to pass The years a long way back, For these she saw the broken vase, The one she prized so much, That always had the honored place Where children mustn't touch; And there was grandpa's rocking chair, The washboard, tubs and boiler, It seems she should have time to spare, Conveniences to spoil her; There was the old ten-gallon jar Where she had made her kraut, Machinery parts from their old car Were scattered all about, The seat from their first Model T, They rode in it with pride, How often in that seat sat she On many a bumpy ride; The sharp edge of the broken jug Where baby put her foot that day, Her old oil stove she watched them lug, A bit reluctantly, away; The bird cage and the fish bowl, too, Now she recalled each little pet, The flower pots, yes, the flowers she grew Are memories that linger yet; And from her hen house roof, old tin, Reminding her of showers in spring, Her chicks, she'd rush to get them in, Yet she'd be drenched like everything; There were the horseshoes and the hames, The tugs and collars horses wore, The embers of life that are no more; To modes of life that are no more; Old dishes, oil cans, bottles, bowls, And there the battery radio, How very swiftly on life rolls, How quickly does a junk pile grow; An incubator, worn out shoes, Yes, well worn out by girls and boys, Chip buckets that she used to use, And there a lot of broken toys; The cowbells, baling wire, hay rakes, The grindstone and the old iron bed, "How many years and things it takes To make this pile of junk," she said. Yes, this was just a pile of things— Things that have brought both laughs and tears, Long thrown away and yet each brings A memory of other years; Somehow the old life seemed to fade, These many things they used to do, A record this—of changes made, Old things that were replaced with new; And in this junk pile she could see The things together they had done, Some 20 years—could it now be? Of heartaches, work and lots of fun; Of love and life and beauty shared, 'Twas just a big old pile of junk, But here her memories compared To those of found in grandma's trunk. Her bucket now she lifted up And tossed the contents on the heap, Tin cans, old clock, a broken cup, These things here she would always keep; For there in that big junk pile lay The many treasures of the past, And more she'll gather 'long the way In years that go by much too fast. —Hazel N. Lang.

DEATH OF A LEGEND

By WILL HENRY

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XXXVI IN Ray County, Charlie Ford held hurried council with his young brother, Bob, a sometime hanger-on of the James gang. Within the hour, Bob saddled up and rode away—straight for the governor's mansion in Jefferson City. Here the business was short, it far from sweet. Yes, his Excellency did guarantee the \$10,000 for the boys. He guaranteed it—no matter his proclamation was not clear on the point—for either Frank or Jesse. And, yes, the guarantee did stand at Dead or Alive.

Within the month Jesse accompanied Charlie Ford to the Ray County farm. Here they were in time to learn that Wood Hite had com. in from Kentucky some days earlier. The previous night, Liddell and Bob Ford, fearful that Hite had gone over to the law, had murdered him in the farmhouse living room.

The year turned. Jesse flitted through the mid-Missouri backwoods like a ghost. Finally, he removed his family to St. Joseph, renting the ill-fated "little white house on the hill."

Dick Liddell, who had surrendered to Timberlake on a promise of clemency from Governor Crittenden, signed a 14-page confession. In it he named dates, places and faces for every job the gang had pulled since Northfield.

Liddell's "coming in" had been well guarded by the authorities. Jesse's first hint of it was when he stepped out on the front stoop of the Howard home to pick up his copy of the St. Joseph Gazette the morning of April 3.

At the inquest, Bob Ford related that Jesse walked into the living room from the porch, holding the paper, unfolded.

"He stopped just inside the door," he continues, "opened the paper and looked at it. He just stood there staring over the top of the paper at us and blinking like he always did when upset."

It was just after 8 a. m. the morning of April 3 when fate answered it for him.

For the first time in 16 years, Jesse took off his guns.

It was the third mistake. His account was overdrawn. Quietly, the black book closed. Its last page bore the purple cancellation stamp of the fabled telegram dispatched to Governor Crittenden and Sheriff Timberlake at 8:27 a. m.

"I have killed Jesse James. St. Joseph. Bob Ford."

CHARLES FORD told under cross-examination at the inquest: "Jesse complained of being warm and pulled off his coat and threw it on the bed and opened the door and said that he guessed he would pull off his gunbelt as some person might see it. Then he went to brush off some pictures, and when he turned his back I gave my brother the wink and we both pulled our pistols but he, my brother, was the quickest and fired first. . . . I saw his shot was a death shot and did not fire. He heard us cock our pistols and turned his head."

Robert Ford was then called, and asked: " . . . Did the governor then tell you anything about a reward?" "He said \$10,000 had been offered for Jesse or Frank dead or alive. I then entered into arrangements with Timberlake."

For three days the witnesses came forward, each in his somber turn declaring his association with the bandit chief, swearing to the identity of the bearded corpse. Mrs. Zerelda Samuel was the last witness called.

"I live in Clay County and am the mother of Jesse James. Oh, my poor boy. I have seen the body since my arrival and have recognized it as that of my son, Jesse. The lady by my side is my daughter-in-law and the children hers. He was a kind husband and son. . . ."

Nothing remained but the inevitable postscript returned by the coroner's jury 28 minutes after filing out: that the body of the deceased was that of Jesse W. James and that he came to his death by a wound in the back of his head, caused by a pistol shot fired intentionally by the hand of Robert Ford.

Thus, officially, closed the Last Act.

FUNERAL services were held at the Kearney Baptist Church. The text was taken from the Book of Job, xii, 8: "Man that is born of woman is of few days and full of trouble. . . ."

The cortege wound slowly across the gray hills toward the Samuel farmhouse. Once more, Zerelda Mimms stood in a farmyard beneath a tree and watched them bring her lover home.

But this was not a catafalque tree, and not her father's farmyard. Sixteen weary years had fled.

The odds showed hollowly down, the shovels shaped the final mounds of the heavy earth. The men went away.

Presently, Mrs. Samuel drew her dark shawl closer, moved away toward the house. Zerelda Mimms was alone with the shadows and the crushed flowers and the faint marble legend of the man for whom she had waited a thousand lonely nights:

JESSE W. JAMES DIED APRIL 3, 1882 AGED 24 YEARS, 6 MONTHS, 28 DAYS MURDERED BY A TRAITOR WHOSE NAME IS NOT WORTHY TO APPEAR HERE.

When the moon came, she was still there. Still waiting for Jesse. Somewhere, far out in the ghostland of the crowding hardwood forest, away and across the silent Clay County hills, a lone-some hound barked keenly and long.

Was it Old Hickory? THE END

Dr. Jordan Says—

Fear of Height Is Probably The Most Common Phobia

By EDWIN P. JORDAN, M.D.

Fear and dislike are among the most deep-seated of all human emotions. Fear of the unknown—in various degrees—is probably universal. Practically every child fears the dark and some never get over it.

No doubt all of us at one time or another have been afraid in the presence of real risk. When, however, there is fear or dislike of something about which the danger is slight (or which is entirely imaginary) the reaction is called a phobia or obsession. This, too, is common. The person with a phobia, unlike a normal person, has excessive difficulty in overcoming the emotion, and indeed occasionally this can be the sign of a real mental disease in which the aid of a psychiatrist is needed.

Of the many kinds of phobias, fear of height and looking down from a high altitude is probably the most common. One correspondent wrote: "Since earliest childhood whenever I found myself on the top of a tall monument or looked down from a steep mountain or cliff I always felt a fear that I would fall down. That fear was unreasonable because in most cases there was a secure barrier or fence on the spot to prevent any accident." This is called acrophobia and, as mentioned, so common that it must be considered as almost normal.

Looking Backward ...

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO Sedalia's new general hospital was to bear the name "Bothwell Memorial Hospital." This decision was reached at a meeting of the Hospital Building Association, directors of the Chamber of Commerce and members of the city council.

1930 Mayor S. B. Kennon returned from Joplin where he had been in attendance at a Knights Templar conclave.

1930 The liberty Park swimming pool was opened May 22 with Harry W. Walch, manager. Life guards and other protection was afforded swimmers and suitable dressing rooms provided. Special attention was given to sanitation.

1930 The Rev. W. B. McGraw, former pastor of the East Sedalia Baptist Church, was in New Orleans attending the sessions of the Southern Baptist Convention.

1915 Sam M. Jordan, the "corn man," farin agent for Pettis County, was elected by the State Board of Agriculture, to be a state-wide helper of all farm agents and advisers. He was to resign his post here and take on his new duties Sept. 1.

1915 Frank F. Durham, chief clerk in the superintendent's office at the MKT car shops, returned from Dallas, Tex., where he had been attending a convention of chief clerks in the operating department of that road.

1915 E. T. Major, secretary of the Missouri State Fair, and E. G. Bylander, publicity manager, returned from Columbia where they attended a meeting of the fair board held in connection with the State Board of Agriculture.

What They Say...

R. A. Stark (Green Ridge Local News) —According to the latest reports of the Missouri State Fair Board again this year you will see no running horse races at the 1955 exposition. They list trotting and pacing races which will cost many thousands of dollars to hold, but not even twenty-five bucks can be spared for a running race that has more thrills than watching an old gray headed man drive a trotter or pacer around the mile track at Sedalia. The State Fair management now boasts that the Grand Circuit Harness Racing Association recognizes the races at our state fair as official if some reccherophobia which means fear of gaily, and apiphobia—fear of bees. One of the phobias is known as necrophobia or fear of death. This like most of the others is a matter of degree since no one likes to contemplate death but if a person thinks about death constantly to the detriment of normal activities it is a true phobia.

There is no doubt that these obsessions and fears cause an enormous amount of misery and sometimes completely dominate the lives of those who have them. It is not helpful for the outsider to show amusement at such fears and dislikes even though they may appear to be humorous.

What can be done about these phobias? They constitute a difficult problem in treatment. Perhaps the first step is for the possessor of such a phobia to want to get over it. Sometimes—even though the process is difficult—they can reason themselves out of the abnormal fear or dislike.

Sometimes they can avoid exposure to the fear like a person with acrophobia who can usually stay away from high places. In some instances a psychiatrist may be able to help a person to overcome such a phobia.

It should be remembered that fear of itself is not abnormal and should only be considered as a phobia if it is excessive or dominates the person's life and thoughts.

Everybody, both young and old, enjoy a running horse race but very few know or care about records or Grand Circuit harness races. Why can't the management of the state fair spend a few hundred dollars for a running horse race each afternoon when a harness race costs thousands of dollars to stage. I don't know the answer and perhaps the state fair management doesn't know the answer either but — we want to see them ponies go in a running race!

old Dean. The following Gray Ladies attended: Mrs. Philip Clark, Mrs. Richard Jones, Mrs. Charles Bryant, Mrs. Eliai Galaini, Mrs. J. T. Taylor, Mrs. James Woodard, Mrs. Harold Lentz, Mrs. Henry Markow, Mrs. Garnett Hopkins, Mrs. Lawrence Brown, and Mrs. I. Kanter from Sedalia; Mrs. O. A. Marti, Mrs. R. N. Broughton, and Mrs. John Murphy from Warrensburg. In addition to the above, Mr. E. A. Goodwin, field director at the SAFB, Mrs. John Lamy, a member of the co-ordinating committee, and Mrs. L. E. Stecker, liaison representative, attended.

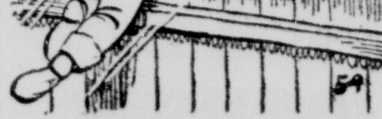
Mrs. Garnett Hopkins, Mrs. Lawrence Brown and Mrs. I. Kanter, Gray Ladies, will serve at the SAFB hospital on Armed Forces Day, which will be Saturday, May 21.

Sedalia Agent Attends Meeting In Chicago

Jack Crawford is attending a one-day meeting in Chicago of Midwest agents of the American Motorists Insurance Agency, of which he is the Sedalia representative. The meeting is being conducted in the Palmer House.

LITTLE LIZ

All men were created equal. It was the railroads that put some of them on the wrong side of the tracks.



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Rayls Build Home on Farm They Bought

By Miss Pauline Chamberlin
HUGHESVILLE — Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rayl purchased a 140 acre farm three miles east of Hughesville and have built a new house which is just being completed. It is a four room house with bath, and they expect to occupy it the latter part of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Moon, Helen, Mary Virginia, Jeanette, Mr. and Mrs. William Lee Hayes and Ralph Viebrock attended a family reunion at Mrs. Moon's sisters, Mrs. Ross Bartholomew in Warrensburg, Sunday. Mrs. Moon's niece, Mrs. Elyn Parks and family attended from Houston, Texas. Also her brothers Mr. Russell Meredith and family from Georgetown and Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Meredith and son, Grandview, Mo.

Mrs. Sam Zollicker, Windsor, spent from Monday to Saturday with her daughter, Mrs. Dorsey Adams, Mr. Adams, Ronald and Patty.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Hofferott, Climax Springs, Jimmie and Douglas spent Sunday with the Dorsey Adams family.

Mrs. Bob Duffield has been on a three weeks trip to California and other points of interest on the west coast. She went with her daughter, Mrs. Virgil Lindberg and Mr. Lindberg of LaPlata. Mr. Lindberg's mother also was in the group.

Alfred Mettenburg has been inducted into the army. He left Thursday for Kansas City for his physical and will be at Ft. Leonard Wood for 10 days. He will be stationed at Ft. Riley, Kan. Alfred was in the graduating class at Hughesville, receiving his diploma, but leaving just before the ceremonies.

Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Richardson had their fifty-first wedding anniversary May 17. They spent the day at home.

The Rev. Sterling L. Ellsbury will attend the Rural Church Conference at Ridgecrest, N. C. May 30-June 10.

The Vacation Bible School of the Baptist church will be held June 6-17th.

Dean Vannoy was honored on his ninth birthday with a party given by his mother, Mrs. Everette Vannoy, who brought refreshments for the third grade room and the teacher Mrs. Doris Toldan.

Donna Eckles, 7 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Eckles has been confined to her bed 5 weeks with Nephritis and is not much improved.

The Last Straw

BETHLEHEM, Pa. (AP)—It wasn't the \$25 that Dr. Nicholas Fourmoyrakakis minded so much—it was the extra three cents postage.

The doctor, stationed at St. Luke's Hospital, lost his wallet containing cards, licenses, visas and additional important papers plus \$25 in cash.

A bulky envelope containing the wallet with cards but without money was returned, arrived in the mail some time after the loss. It carried 18 cents postage but the doctor had to pay an additional three cents postage due.

Want to keep cabbage green when you are cooking it? Steam the shredded vegetable in only enough water to keep it from sticking; there should be practically no liquid left in the pan by the time it is tender-crisp. Cover the saucepan while you are cooking the cabbage, but lift the cover several times; this uncovering the pan will help retain the green color.

Krishna Menon Still a Mystery



PREVIEW OF PEIPING: India's Krishna Menon dines with Red China's Chou En-lai at Bandung.

By TOM A. CULLEN

NEA Special Correspondent

LONDON (NEA)—There is a saying in London diplomatic circles: Wherever Krishna Menon turns up, there the world is doing its damndest to have a nervous breakdown.

Menon, who is India's representative at the United Nations, turned up in Geneva after the fall of Dien Bien Phu last summer to pave the way for the Indo-China sell-out. Although Menon was only an "observer" at the Geneva conference, he probably more than any other man, was responsible for Red China's victory at the conference table.

Behind the scenes Menon was politicking furiously with Red China's Chou En-lai and the Viet Minh leaders. Now he is politicking openly at Peiping with Chou on the Formosa issue.

Seeing Krishna Menon for the first time at Geneva last June, a young American military attache asked: "Who's the lean guy with the hungry look?"

Today, the world might echo this question. For despite his ubiquity, Menon still remains something of a man of mystery.

He is a tall, gaunt and cadaverous-looking, with silvery streaks in his long wavy hair and eyes that can glow with suspicion or smoulder with resentment. A strict vegetarian, he neither smokes nor drinks and is a bachelor at the age of 56. The austerity of his private life would make a hermit's look merry by comparison.

This is the man whom Pandit Nehru would like to make India's Foreign Minister, if Nehru can shove him down the throat of the Indian Congress Party. So far the Congress Party isn't swallowing. One reason for Menon's unpopularity in India is the fact that he has spent practically no time there. He arrived in England for six months' study of economics and law in 1924. He stayed for 28 years.

The British know him as a starving student, a shabby figure who lived on buns and tea in a cheap bed-sitting room while learning his economic ABC's from Socialist Harold Laski.

Later, after he had been admitted to practice at the bar, Menon continued to border on starvation, his severe nature attracting but few friends and fewer clients.

As a Socialist firebrand, Menon got his real training in the rough-and-tumble of London ward politics. He learned his slippery footwork in one of London's poorest boroughs, St. Pancras, where he served as a Socialist councilman.

For 13 years "The Yogi of St. Pancras," as he was known, led his followers a strange dance. No

hunger march was complete without the gaunt Menon. He carried banners in May Day parades, wrote articles on India for the Daily Worker, preached from a soap-box a dozen Communist causes.

While whirling like a dervish through British politics of the depression, Menon never lost sight of his main goal, Indian independence. Ad when India won its independence in 1947 he was made its first High Commissioner in London.

As Indian High Commissioner, Menon is still a legend among diplomats. He is probably one of the few diplomats who cost his government less than a stenotypist.

Although he selected the most expensive crockery, cutlery and carpets for India House, he refused to accept a salary from the Indian government.

Although he chose a fleet of Rolls-Royce limousines for the

High Commission's staff, he continued to ride on London's double-deck buses whenever possible.

Although he bought a fine house in Kensington Palace Gardens for the use of the Indian government, he continued to live like a hermit in one room in India House.

At diplomatic social functions he still behaved like a spectre at a feast. While the other guests wined and dined, Menon would sit in morose silence without touching a morsel.

From Socialist councilman for

Longwood Neighbors Plan Skating Party

Twenty-one members and 20 guests of Longwood Neighbors met recently at the home of Robert Leftwich.

Billy Claycomb gave a demonstration on electricity and Robert Leftwich gave a demonstration on beef projects.

A roller skating party was planned for June 20 at Liberty Park. The next meeting will be June 13 at the home of George Harvey.

Quarter a pound of pitted dates and put in a saucepan with a cup of water and three-quarters cup of sugar. Cook slowly, stirring often, about 15 minutes or until mixture is thick enough to spread. Use as a filling for rolled oatmeal cookies. Delicious old-fashioned flavor!

the borough of St. Pancras to United Nations representative of 350,000 Indians is quite a span for any man to accomplish in eight years.

The Yogi now mixes with Communist Commissars like Peiping's Chou. But though he often pulls Red chestnuts out of the fire, Menon seems to have earned nothing but Communist contempt.

"At best you are dreamers, idealists," Commissar Vishinsky told Yogi Menon. "At worst you do not understand your own position and camouflage the horrible American policy."

The more the Russians insult him, the more Menon seems to like it.

Democrat Class Ads Get Results!

More Than 150 Attend Birthday Of C. N. Simmons

By Beatrice Burnfin

CROSS TIMBERS—Over 150 folks attended the birthday celebration last Sunday for C. N. Simmons at the J. D. Gates home near Jordan. Mr. Simmons was 91 years old. Among those present were his son and his four daughters and their families, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Simmons and family, Sedalia, Ollie Marsh, Wheatland, Joe Wiseman, Kansas City, G. W. Wiseman, Holden, Mrs. Joe Burnfin and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Southard, Frisco.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Brengle, Buffalo, South Dakota, arrived last week for a visit with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. John Burnfin. Mr. Brengle, who is 82 years old, drove all the way from their home. He has a leather and gift shop there.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Dean Burnfin and children, Kansas City, spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Burnfin.

Two Types

ROANOKE, Va. (AP)—Virginians are of two types, says Commissioner of Agriculture Parke C. Brinkley — those who never had enough push to get out of the state, and those who got out, made a lot of money and came back to enjoy it among people who know how to enjoy life. He gave his views to the National Dairy Council.

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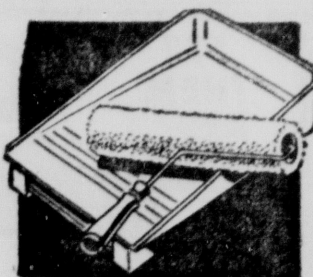
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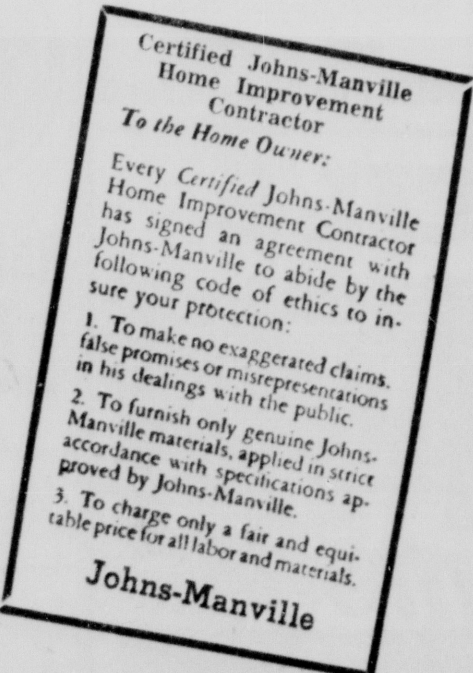
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Keeps Secret Of Dancing Cigaret Pack

By WAYNE OLIVER
NEW YORK (AP)—You'll never see the faces that go with three of the prettiest pairs of legs in television—those of the dancing cigarette packs.

Their sponsor, Old Gold, tries to protect their identities as closely as if they were state secrets on the theory that the mystery creates added interest among viewers. But he has furnished some facts:

Miss Regular Pack has been a member of the act the longest, making her debut in 1948. Second was Miss King Size, who made her debut in April 1953. The newest member is Miss Filter King, who joined last September.

Miss Regular Pack is a professional who comes from a long line of dancers, and she also is choreographer for the act. Her comment, relayed through the secrecy veil, is:

"At first I didn't like it. What entertainer would? But now I wouldn't have it otherwise. Today I dance before millions of people a week. Hoofing it before television I couldn't dance to that many people in a lifetime. And when you like dancing, you like to dance for lots of people."

Miss King Size likes the anonymity. She had decided to retire from show business after her recent marriage, but her present assignment enables her to continue with no publicity that might interfere with the privacy of an ordinary housewife.

Miss Filter King, a pretty 20-year-old who has appeared on stage, screen and TV, finds the security regulations something of a problem because she is single.

"The sponsor won't permit me to explain even to my boyfriend," she declares, "and he wants to know why I can't date him Saturday night."

Who's Bugs Now?
SAN DIEGO Calif. (AP)—A discussion of humor was underway when Mrs. Frances Lea discovered unidentified insects invading her high school classroom.

She sent a note to the janitor reading "I have bugs" and asked the class to speculate on his reply. One boy suggested: "You're lucky. Most teachers have students." In "Be right over." He was.

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The spectacular precision of the west Point Corps of Cadets amazes Tyrone Power in this scene from John Ford's "The Long Gray Line," the new Columbia romantic drama which also stars Maureen O'Hara at the Uptown Theatre today. The production is in color by Technicolor and Cinemascope.

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Japanese Star Plans to End Movie Career

By BOB THOMAS
HOLLYWOOD (AP)—Here's one actress Hollywood will not be able to lure—Japanese star Mitsuko Kimura, who intends her current picture to be her last.

Latest of the foreign lovelies to be imported by Hollywood (What-ever happened to the all-American girl?) is Miss Kimura, who combines striking beauty with an almost painful shyness. This week she suffered through her first screen kiss.

The bussing took place with Aldo Ray in "The Gentle Sergeant", which was filmed largely in Japan.

Mitsi couldn't have been less happy.

"I have never kissed any man in public, even in Japanese films," she remarked. "It is not our custom in private life. We bow and embrace but we do not kiss."

As a matter of fact, she confided that she has kissed only one man before this week. He is her husband Ken Fukunaga, a former GI from Salt Lake City.

She did 19 films before she was picked to play the wife of Sgt. Hugh O'Reilly of the Gentle Wolfhound Army outfit. He's the one-

Japanese Star Plans to End Movie Career

time "jap-hater" who ended up adopting an Osaka orphanage.

She was asked if "The Gentle Sergeant" will be her last picture. "I hope so," she replied.

Her husband, who was a pharmacist in the Army, said they will return to Japan after he takes her to meet his parents in Salt Lake City. When he got out of the Army in 1946, he took his discharge in Japan and stayed on as an Army interpreter. He recently signed a two-year contract to continue in that capacity.

"My wife doesn't want to leave her family yet," he said. "But eventually I plan to open a drug store in Salt Lake City. My wife would like to have a Japanese gift store next door."

Hughesville 8th Grade Graduated On May 17

The eighth grade graduation was held in the Hughesville school auditorium Tuesday, May 17, at 8 p.m. The program follows: processional, "March of the Priests," Mrs. Frances Sparks; baritone solo, Larry Callis; welcomes, Wanda Williams and Ethel Jeffries; class history, Judy Ramey; class prophecy, Larry Olson; class will, Doris Wallace; passing the torch, Gary Powell, Joy Phillips, Larry Mueller, Delores Simmons.

Play "A Change of Heart" was given. Play cast as follows: Doris Wallace, Brenda Weathers, Mary Roberts, Sherry Nagel, Delores Simmons, George Lindemann, Larry Olson, Gaylen Gray, Charles Thompson and Sammy Scott.

Farewell, Larry Callis; presentation of diplomas, Mr. Harold Williams; song, "This Is My Father's World," by class; recessional, "Pomp and Circumstance," by Edward Elgar, Mrs. Sparks.

There were 19 in the class. The valedictorian was Larry Callis. Two girls tied for salutatorian, Wanda Williams and Ethel Jeffries.

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Bill Goodwin Plans Return To Radio Job

By WAYNE OLIVER
NEW YORK (AP)—It begins to look as if broadcasting will turn out to be the career of Bill Goodwin.

The jovial, soft-voiced performer has held a lot of different jobs in radio and television but this week reached his 25th anniversary in the business without missing a season.

Goodwin currently is star and master of ceremonies of the Wednesday night Penny to a Million giveaway show on ABC, and he handles it with the same warmth and enthusiasm as his chores on the Burns & Allen and Bob Hope shows for years.

Although Goodwin has been in television four years and has appeared in 37 movies, he says many people still identify him quicker from his voice than his face.

"I got into a taxi here in New York and gave the address I wanted, and the driver turned around, looked at me and asked, 'What's your name?'" Goodwin relates. "I said 'Bill Goodwin' and the driver said 'I thought I recognized your voice.'"

Goodwin's new TV assignment makes him a coast-to-coast commuter. He and his wife and their four children live in Hollywood. He flies into New York every Monday to prepare for the Wednesday night show and returns to the West Coast every Thursday. He teams with singer Peggy King on live commercials for a local show there on Saturdays.

CBS has given details of its plans for its own series of 90-minute color spectaculars next fall. There will be 10 of them on Saturday nights. At least two will

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Knob Noster Grads Visit Ozarks Lake

By Mrs. Russell Kendrick

Knob Noster — The senior class of Knob Noster High School enjoyed a trip to Lone Oak Camp, Lake of the Ozarks Friday and Saturday. They were accompanied by their sponsors, Mrs. Harold Visser, William Elwell, Mrs. A. L. Lyle and Mrs. Leonard Clark. They made the trip in the school bus which was driven by Ralph Eppler.

The following members of the Knob Noster Garden club attended a meeting of the Warrensburg Club at the Baptist Church there: Mrs. Cassie Underwood, president of the local club, Mrs. W. J. Carr, Mrs. A. L. Berry, Mrs. F. M. Crowder, Mrs. P. G. Utley, Mrs. Virgil Lane, Mrs. Robert Thompson, Mrs. Porter Murray and Mrs. Floyd Martin.

Pfc. and Mrs. Dale Blaylock, Ft. Hood, Tex., arrived Thursday for a 15-day visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marion M. Parker and family and the Rev. and Mrs. O. A. Blaylock and Lynnel.

Newton McDonald spent Sunday in Green Ridge with his sister, Mrs. Velma Morley and niece, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Ridenour.

Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Williams left for their home in Okmulgee, Okla. Sunday following a visit with her brother, E. O. Price and family.

Mrs. Otis Dickinson and Allen, Sparkman, Ark., arrived Thursday to spend two weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Thompson and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Breen and family. The Dickinson family lived in Knob Noster while Sgt. Dickinson was stationed at S.A.F. He is now in Japan.

Mrs. Raymond Baker, Mrs. R. W. Dawes and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Covey, Knob Noster, attended a meeting of the OES chapter at the Masonic Hall in California Saturday night. It was the official visit of the worthy grand matron and worthy grand patron to the chapters in the 31st District. Following the meeting and supper the Knob Noster guests attended a party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Embree in California, given in honor of the grand officers.

Mrs. O. W. Peithman was chairman and Mr. Peithman, co-chairman of the Salvation Army drive in Washington township. A total of \$261.97 was collected.

A-1c Eugene Anderson, who has been stationed at the S.A.F.B., has been transferred to Ramey Air Force Base in Puerto Rico. Mrs. Anderson and daughter, Carman Lee are staying at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hartley Lockard.

T-Sgt. and Mrs. Arthur Merrick left Wednesday for a three week vacation in New York.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Lyle and family were Mrs. Fannie Rice, LaMonte, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Cook, Sedalia, Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Rice and Richard, Windsor, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Lyle and Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Rice, Kansas City, and Mr. and Mrs. James Ripley and sons.

Weekend guests of Sgt. and Mrs. Larry Lord and sons were her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Higgins, Upland, Calif. They were enroute to Shelby, O. to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Bearce, Judy Rae and Terre Gae, Blue Springs spent from Friday until Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Judd, Mr. Bearce, Curtis Judd and Duane spent Friday and Saturday fishing at Sunrise Beach.

Weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Eli Morton were his brothers, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Morton, Chelsea, Okla., and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Morton, Bolivar.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Thurston, Independence, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Peterman. Additional guests Sunday were Miss Mary Rice and Billy Rector, students of CMSC, Warrensburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Swearingen, Nancy, Boyd, Gene and Gary, Pittsfield, Ill., A-2c John Robert Swearingen and A-2c Ron Tebon, who are stationed at Camp Kilmer, N. J., spent the weekend with Mrs. Swearingen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Boyd, his mother, Mrs. Mary Covey, Boyd Swearingen, who enlisted in the

Bolivian Lends Farmer Aid Farm Youth Exchange Plan



IN CRISP COUNTY, Georgia, three of farmer J. Moody Adkins' foreign visitors look over his fields. Left to right: Ulla Nielson, Sweden; Jose Grosberger, Bolivia; and Marie Louise LeHeuve, Belgium. With them is 4-H advisor Mary Bundrick.

By KENNETH O. GILMORE NEA Staff Correspondent

WASHINGTON—(NEA)—It's not often that a Georgia cotton farmer receives technical assistance from a young Bolivian, but it's a reversal with some astounding results.

Jose Grosberger, a 28-year-old Bolivian, had come to Georgia as part of the International Farm Youth Exchange under the sponsorship of the Department of Agriculture.

One day, shortly after arriving, he happened to be near by when a farmer's tractor broke down. Being an excellent mechanic, he offered to do an on-the-spot repair job.

It was a major undertaking, and the farmer didn't feel too happy about letting the young foreigner tinker with his valuable tractor. But to be polite he said O.K.

Jose immediately went to work, and in no time he had the machine in perfect running order. The farmer couldn't believe it. "It taught him that some people in the world have some sense besides us Americans," drawled J. Moody Adkins, who was in Washington recently with his wife. The two came here from their 130-acre farm in Georgia to represent farmers from their county who have opened their homes to young visitors from abroad.

Jose is just one of half a dozen young men and women from all over the globe who have had a taste of American farm life by living with the Adkins. The couple has five children of their own whose ages range from 14 to 25.

The Adkins feel it is important for other nationalities to see the country as it really is, but they also point out that the experience has taught them a great deal.

"It gave us an entirely different view," says Adkins. "We came to realize that people from other lands have more or less the same problems and desires we do. In

Air Force left Pittsfield Monday for Lackland Field, Tex.

W. W. Moore, Mrs. Martin Ream, Mrs. Russell Kendrick and Mr. and Mrs. Wells Thompson attended funeral services Saturday for Miss June Morris at Sacred Heart Church, Sedalia.

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Lincoln Has A Ten Year Light Contract

By Mrs. Herbert Hansen

LINCOLN —The local town board met Tuesday and a ten year contract was entered with the Missouri Public Service Co., to furnish lights for the city. Representatives from Warrensburg and Warsaw were in attendance. A Saline County Asphalt Co., representative was also a guest and led a discussion on the needs of sealing the city streets which have recently been oiled, however no action will be taken at present.

Charley Rinket, who recently underwent surgery is improving satisfactorily and has returned home.

Betty Burns is spending a month with her sister and family at Topeka, Kan.

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Means and Sue were her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Collins, Windsor, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Collins, and their son, Mr. and Mrs. Billie Ray Collins and baby, Kansas City, and Gayle and Sharon Collins, Windsor.

According to latest word received by Mr. and Mrs. George Roark, their son Earl, who has been serving with the armed services abroad, is now enroute to the states.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Keseman and Judy, Springfield, were guests of relatives here and at Sedalia last week. They were overnight guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hansen Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hansen and two sons, Michael and Ronnie, Sedalia, were also guests Sunday and of Mrs. Hansen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Means.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Hansen and Mr. and Mrs. Charley Rank, Calhoun, went to Nevada last Sunday to visit Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Hansen. Their granddaughter, Connie, who spent the past week here returned home with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Loran Tatum, and family, Ionia, and Mr. and Mrs. Leo Tatum, Warsaw, were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kreuger. The occasion was in honor of Mr. Kreuger's 77th birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Owens and family and the two evangelists, Rev. Smith, and Rev. Ralph Morgan, were dinner guests of Fred Owens and Wilma Sunday.

Mrs. Clara Hare returned home after visiting her son, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Hare, and family, Sedalia. She made the acquaintance of her new grandson, Timothy Ray, while there.

Problems concerning Sunday School and the attendance were discussed Tuesday night when the following teachers met with the pastor, Rev. Henry Luker at the Zion Lutheran Church at Lincoln for a study meeting: Rhinart Fajen, Warsaw, Sunday School Supt., Mrs. Fajen, Mrs. Ella Eckhoff, Mrs. Clarence Frisch, Mrs. Ed

that a youth exchange program is one of the best ways to spread good will between nations.

"They'd rather have the money spent for this program than for military purposes," says Adkins. "It'll be very well spent if it prevents war."

They were greatly impressed by the number of cars all the farm people had, although Ulla suggested more money be used to build churches than buy automobiles.

All of them told the Adkins that Americans were wasteful. In Thailand and Terd Suvanakiri had to keep fixing broken machines on the farm for lack of anything else. "You Americans," he said, "throw away—buy new, not repair."

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Lumpe and Miss Esther Schlier. At a meeting of the local Boy Scouts of which Bob Gooser is the acting scout master, Monday extensive plans for a camping out party which will include cooking, swimming, etc., were formulated and the trip will be held soon after the close of school.

The Smiling Club met Thursday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kreuger with eight members and five guests present. The day was spent in canning peas. A covered dish dinner was served at noon.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Lehman and family recently visited at Chanute, Kan., with the Rev. and Mrs. Paul Life and while there attended services at his church.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Harding, Sedalia, visited their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Carney and Leroy Thursday night.

Though the recent rainy weather slightly hindered operations on the new addition to the school building work is proceeding on schedule according to Mrs. R. G. Carney and Supt. Nelson. They report that all of the forms for foundations have been completed and the walls which are brick are now beginning to get rise in height. The brick laying project is being directed by contractor B. H. Brown, his crew from Clinton and local men.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Rawlins, Marshall, Mr. and Mrs. Freddie Meuschke and Marva Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Elbert, Windsor, were recent guests of John Guthrie and Mrs. Mary Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Bumpas, Windsor, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Drake, Warsaw, visited their mother, Mrs. Anna Martin last week.

Oscar Neil remains a patient at a hospital in St. Louis. His condition is improved and he hopes to be home soon.

Sunday guests of Mrs. Bell Chaney were her sons and their families, Mr. and Mrs. Basil Chaney and Mrs. Lillian Davis, Green Ridge, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Chaney, Windsor, Mr. and Mrs. Junior Newman, Gerald and Virginia, Calhoun, Mr. and Mrs.

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James Chaney and children, Windsor, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Chaney and David, Pleasant Hill, and Gladys of the home. It was the first time the family had been together since Thanksgiving.

Janice Hansen and Dorothy Johnson attended the Windsor High School play Tuesday.

Mrs. John Gerken, who is employed out of town, spent the week at her home here.

Thursday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kreuger were: Mrs. Mabel Clyman, Mr. and Mrs. Levi Claycomb, Paul Claycomb, Mrs. Ben Cockrum and Charles, Scott Daniels, Mrs. Amos Owens, Mrs. Geo. Roark, Mrs. Ernest Wheeler, Miss Lizzie Davis, Mrs. F. E. Weakley and Mrs. Herbert Hansen.

Mrs. John Tatum, Van Nuys, Calif., Mrs. Hugh Smith, Hughesville, and Miss Emma Carpenter, Windsor, were Thursday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Poague.

Mrs. Rispy McDaniel and Billie have leased the residence of Guy Cole and expect to move after school closes.

Will Harvey of the Sunny Side Neighborhood has been ill. Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Baker and family and Mrs. Bess Wolf, Warrensburg, visited Mrs. Oscar Neil last week.

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Judge Gets Evidence MEMPHIS, Tenn. — Charles Jones, charged with speeding 39 miles an hour, told Traffic Judge Beverly Boushe his old truck just wouldn't go that fast.

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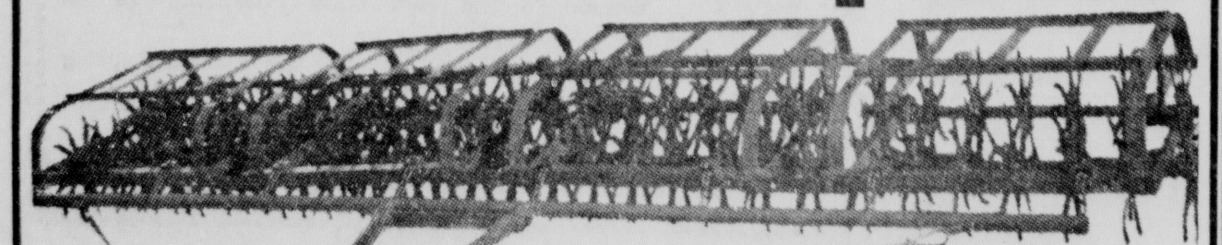
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ALLEY OOP **TAKING IT EASY** **By V. T. HAMLIN**

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WELL, YES, COME TO THINK OF IT, I GUESS HE COULD.
UMM! I THINK WE'D BETTER CHECK UP ON THIS CHAP!
GOOD IDEA! HIS PLACE IS OVER WEST AROUND BRADENTON, I THINK.
OKAY! YOU AND OOP HOP OVER THERE AND SEE WHAT YOU CAN LEARN.
OKAY, DOC!
HOLY COW, OOP, TAKE IT EASY!
I AM, FOR CAT-SAKE! DON'TCHA REMEMBER, TH' GUY SAID IT'D DO A HUNDRED EASY!

CAPTAIN EASY **STILL MISSING** **By LESLIE TURNER**

LATER, EASY MEETS MCKEE'S TEST DIRECTOR, REEDY TALTON.
SO THIS IS THE MISSILE ASSEMBLY BUILDING FOR MCKEE INDUSTRIES, MR. TALTON?
YES, THE—
WHY, CAPTAIN EASY?
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HAVE THEY FOUND OUR MISSILE THAT WENT ASTRAY, FELLAS?
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WHY DON'T YOU TRY FLATTERY ON STUART? ALL BOYS LIKE TO BE FLATTERED!!
MMM
MY, WHAT MASSIVE SHOULDERS YOU HAVE, STUART! YOU MUST BE FRIGHTFULLY STRONG!
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Scholarships To Graduates At Otterville

By Miss Cora Cordry
OTTERVILLE—For the closing of school the first four grades and teachers, Mrs. Herbert Kuhn, Mrs. Lewis Zumsteg, Mrs. Herbert Brauer and Miss Melva May, had their outing at Liberty Park; the fifth and sixth grades accompanied by Mrs. Grace Ripley and Mrs. Charley Carson, spent a day sightseeing at Jefferson City and the seventh and eighth grades, their sponsors, Mrs. W. L. Burford and Harry O'Mealy, had their picnic along with the Lamine River. The junior class spent three days at Sportsman Lodge and the seniors spent several days at Lake Taneycomo. Mr. and Mrs. A. Mendenhall accompanied the juniors and seniors on their trip.

Miss Marjorie Crain, valedictorian, received the scholarship from Central Missouri State College, Warrensburg, Francis Rott received a scholarship from Springfield College of Commerce; LeRoy Moon received a scholarship from Hannibal LaGrange and the IOOF and Rebekah scholarship.

In the essay contest "How I Can Protect My American Heritage" sponsored by the American Legion Auxiliary cash awards were received in the junior division, including the seventh, eighth and ninth grades by Frances Curry, first, Judy Kuykendall, second, Jane Miller, third. Senior division grades, 10, 11 and 12, Marjorie Crain, first, Merrill Burford, second, and Darlene Gochenour, third.

Mr. and Mrs. George Stumpf and Mrs. T. E. Wear visited Tuesday with Mrs. Stumpf's sister, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hendrix, Ha Ha Tonka.

Will Neal, Weaubleau and Elmer Neal, Kansas City, spent last week with their sister, Mrs. Mae Speaker and attended the closing school exercises.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hansen and Jerald were Sunday City guests Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo J. Smith and J. H. Gunn attended the Missouri Bankers Association banquet Tuesday evening at the Muehlebach Hotel, Kansas City. Mr. and Mrs. Smith attended the Dogwood Festival Horse Show at Camden on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Castle and Allen spent Sunday at the Lake of Ozarks.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Nelson and Martha Lou were Sunday guests of his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Nelson, Stover.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Young, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Glenn went on a pleasure trip to the lake Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Young have bought the residence property of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Sparks and will have possession the first of July.

Sunday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Stumpf were the Rev. and Mrs. Elmer Botts and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Brooks, Sedalia.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Leach went to Sedalia Tuesday to attend the eighth grade graduating exercises. Their grandson, Charles Goetz, was a graduate.

Jane Speaker is spending this week in Tipton with her grandmother, Mrs. Arabel Miller.

J. H. Gunn visited friends in Kansas City Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Fisher, Fortuna, were Sunday guests of

New Bathroom Patterns Give Relief From Old Seascapes



Spots before the eyes are an asset in a small bathroom. Black-and-white loop-and-dot patterned shower curtains look fresh and crisp. Plastic curtain rings, black for one curtain, white for the other, add a novel touch. Mat, towels and curtains carry out color scheme.

By KAY SHERWOOD
NEA Staff Writer

New bathroom accessories offer decorative advantages that many homemakers will welcome. Ever since the first swan glided onto a pastel shower curtain, motifs have rippled toward the watery or picturesque.

Recently, the restyling of shower curtains has inspired designers of low and moderate-priced curtains to produce airy, adaptable patterns that have no connection at all with lily pads. Loop-and-dot patterns, fishnet designs, delicate floral sprays; all are artistically drawn in colors that provide a welcome change of pace from standard pastels.

Black-and-white, for example, looks clear and crisp in a small bathroom. Beige, ginger and gold tones make interesting backgrounds for brighter colored patterns.

More than one friend of mine has used new shower curtains to curtain windows on porches and recreation rings in plastic are big and bold; although they come in a variety of colors, I'm partial to the simulated tortoise shell tones.

their son, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Fisher.

Mrs. F. L. Cole, Jr., accompanied by Mrs. Fred Farris and Mrs. Melvin Conrad were business visitors in Kansas City Tuesday.

Charley Decker, Duarte, Calif., is visiting his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Lincoln Schib. He was accompanied from Kansas City by his nephew, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Phillips.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Gentry visited recently in Eldorado Springs, with Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Stewart.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Brubaker accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Layne went to the Lake for a day's outing Sunday.

Mrs. Vannoy To Begin Next Term In Ionia

By Mrs. Homer Howe

IONIA—The Ionia School closed Friday. The parents and teacher, Mrs. John Vannoy, took the children on a trip to Jacob's Cave. Mrs. Vannoy has been employed to teach the next term.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Thouvenil and son, Cloyt, Stover, visited with their aunt, Miss Frances Pittman, on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Elly and children, Bethel, Kan., visited over the weekend in the home of Mrs. Elly's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Williams. Mr. Elly spent a part of the time with his parents in Versailles where his father is critically ill.

Cleo Sutherland, Sedalia, visited over the weekend in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Renfrow.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Ream and sons Eddie and Freddie, and Mrs. Helen Bucher, Green Ridge, visited Sunday in the homes of Misses Alberta and Ruth Pfaff and Mrs. Theodora Howe.

Mr. and Mrs. Junor Mullens and children, Kansas City, visited over the weekend with the parents of Mrs. Mullens, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Friendly. Mr. and Mrs. Mullens have purchased a home in Independence and they moved their furniture which they have had stored here. Mrs. Friendly accompanied them home for a few days visit.

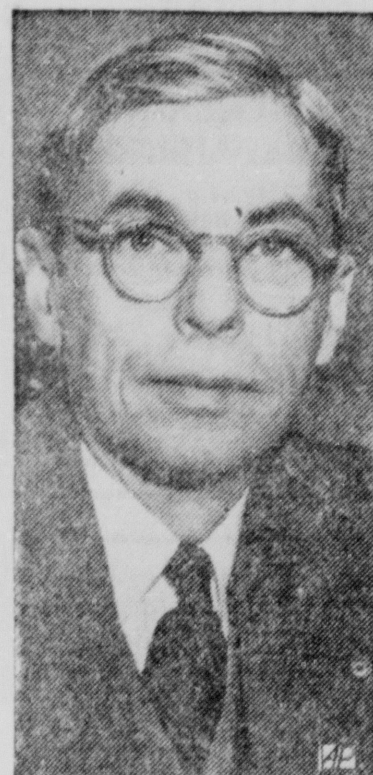
Doris Jean Renfrow who is a student at Central College, Fayette, visited over the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Renfrow.

Don Thomas is a patient at the Wetzel Hospital in Clinton receiving medical treatment.

Oliver Renfrow is having a well drilled on his property where he recently had a filling station constructed.

Mrs. Fred Englebrecht is a patient at the Wetzel Hospital in Clinton where she recently underwent an operation.

James Wear and David Malone



NOW AMBASSADOR — James B. Conant, former U. S. High Commissioner, has been confirmed by the Senate as Ambassador to new sovereign Republic of West Germany.

accompanied by Larry Williams went to Dewitt, Ill., the past week where they visited with relatives.

Miss Elizabeth Mueller, Sedalia, visited over the weekend in the homes of her brothers, L. H. Mueller and F. A. Mueller.

Mrs. Elmo Bruns and children, Ronnie and Annette, Clinton, visited overnight Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Wien-

berg. On Monday Mrs. Bruns, Ronnie and Annette, attended the Cole Camp school picnic.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Van Wey who recently arrived from Phoenix, and who have been visiting in the home of his father, O. Van Wey, are now operating a filling station on Highway 50 near Sedalia.

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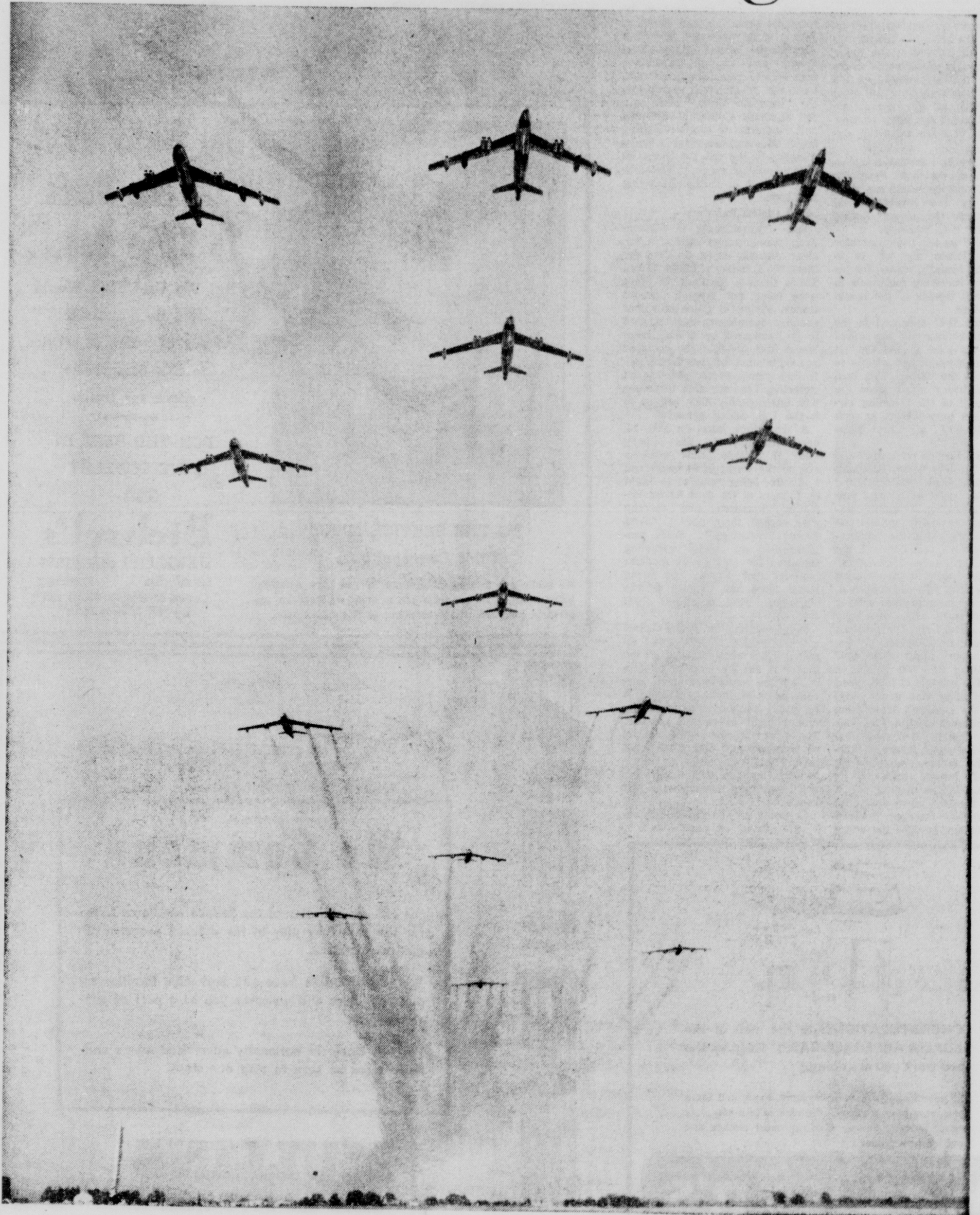
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Navigator to pilot, "In a minute and a half, we should be seeing her."

"Roger, navigator. All crew members, keep your ears peeled."

The navigator operating the intricate radio "rendezvous" equipment was in the limelight of the seven-man air crew. The seconds ticked by unheard in the busy interior of the KC-97 tanker, military counterpart of the 75-ton double-deck Stratocruiser. The operator of the boom-like mechanism attached to the tail of the flying gas station lay spread-eagle on his belly in the aft section of the plane. From here he could man his controls at the same time peering through a window to steer the boom into the receiving aircraft.

"Here she is," the boom operator informed the pilot. From his vantage point he could see their partner for the ensuing aerial trapeze act, the six-jet Boeing swept-wing B-47 Stratojet.

"Clancy," as the boom operator is known (since his job is to "lower the boom"), waited for his target, the receiving receptacle in the forward topside of the bomber's fuselage.

Soon, the B-47 appeared in the immediate vicinity and the skilled hand of its pilot guided the jet bomber underneath and slightly to the rear of the tanker. This is a somewhat tricky affair since the "downwash" of the refueling aircraft makes maneuvering in such close quarters a most risky business.

"Clancy" went to work when the B-47 was 40 feet below. Manning his controls and "talking" the pilot of the receiving aircraft into the proper position by radio communication he deftly guided the boom with the aid of the "rudderators" into a direct line with the receiving receptacle. Then he extended the nozzle by telescoping it into the hole. This accomplished, the flight engineer pressed a lever which operates the hydraulic pumping system and the precious fuel immediately began flowing into the hungry tanks of the B-47 at something like 500 gallons a minute. The miracle of high speed aerial refueling was under way. Shortly, the bomber's transfusion of the distance-giving fuel was completed and the B-47 swept forward toward some far-away "target." The tanker, another job completed, headed back to its home base. In this manner, SAC's medium bombers have shortened the proverbial distance between two points and brought the entire

globe within range of their bomb-sights.

A Garden Hose and a Funnel

Four years before Lindbergh made his trans-Atlantic hop—in 1923 to be exact—two pilots of the U.S. Air Service completed the first mid-air refueling using something resembling a garden hose and a funnel to accomplish the job of transferring 25 gallons of fuel. Aerial refueling remained to be formally exploited until January, 1929, just 26 years ago. Then two Air Corps pilots, Major Carl Spaatz and Captain Ira Eaker, both retired general officers now, took the tri-motored monoplane, the "Question Mark," aloft over the Southern California airspace and, by means of aerial refueling, broke all endurance records by remaining in the air 150 hours, 40 minutes and 15 seconds. The military concept of in-flight refueling was born.

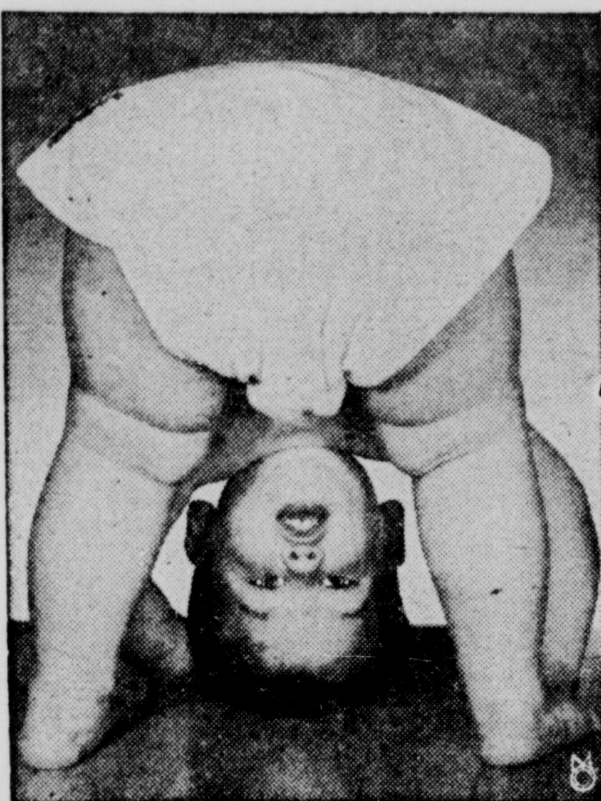
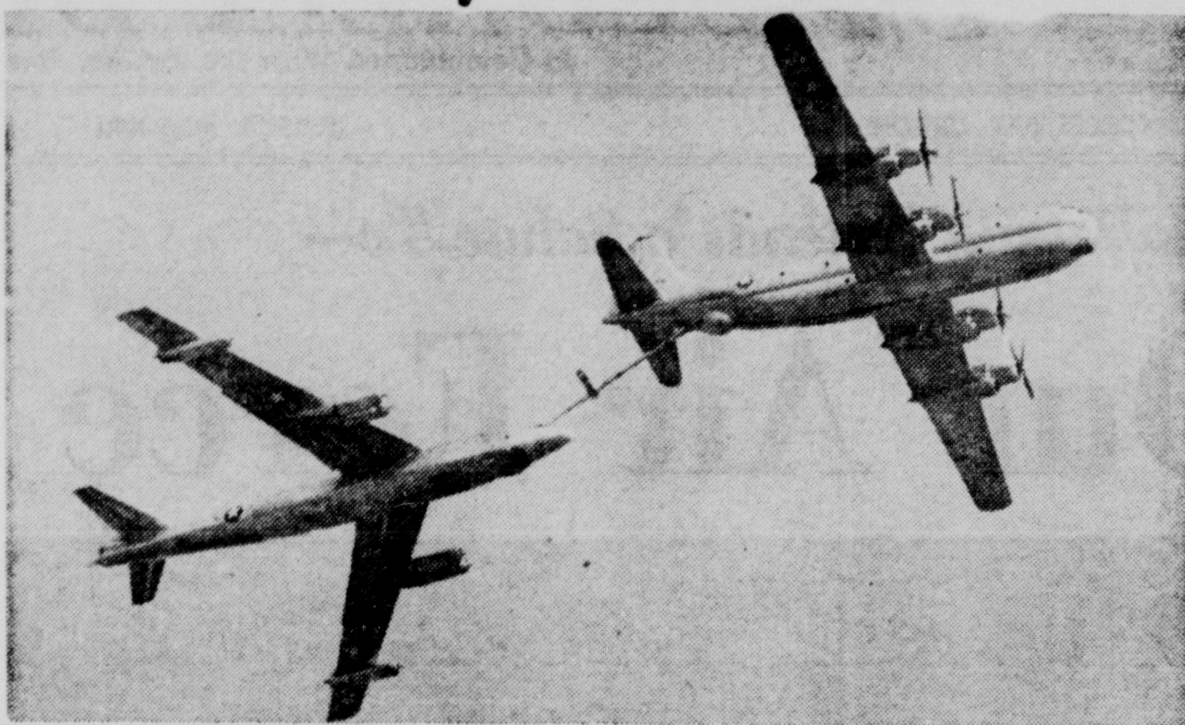
Earl Global Refuelers

Sun-worshippers in Tucson, Ariz., saw strange sights in the clear January skies in 1949, for there the familiar old B-29's from SAC's Davis-Monthan AF Base were being put through unusual traces. Flying in pairs in rather peculiar formation, they seemed to be connected by a long hose. These Boeing B-29's had received a modification of the British refueling system, perfected by Aerial Refueling Limited; this technique was unacceptably slow and so to it the U.S. added pressure.

A short time later, on Feb. 26, came the pay-off. The Lucky Lady II, a B-50, flew non-stop around the world in 94 hours and 1 minute, being refueled in flight by tankers of the 43rd Aerial Refueling Squadron who thereby well earned their motto: "First Global Refuelers." SAC programmed an aerial refueling squadron for each of its medium bombardment wings. The flying boom came into its own as the squadrons were organized from 1951 on.

Supplementing the boom control and pumping equipment, pilot director lights were installed on the tanker to aid the receiver pilot in holding the refueling contact. This does away with the requirement for radio communication and also makes night operations possible. The pilot director lights consist of four red and one green light automatically triggered by micro-switches installed on the elevation and telescoping movements of the boom.

Lettering on the red-lighted ob-
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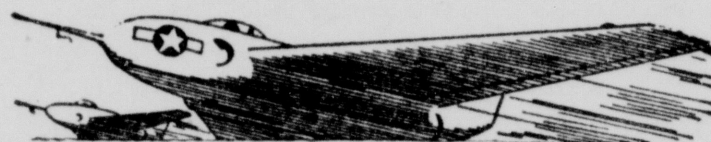
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Col. A. J. Beck Heads Crack 340th Bombardment Outfit

The 340th Bombardment Wing at Sedalia Air Force Base has facilities worth over \$154 million; aircraft alone, worth \$110,646,289 and a payroll of \$830,000 monthly. It is evident that the man to head an organization of this magnitude must be very capable. He must have exceptional tenacity to stay with the job and above all he must possess the "know how."

In July of 1954, such a man came to Sedalia Air Force Base to command the 340th Bombardment Wing and to mold this unit among the combat ready wings of the mighty Strategic Air Command.

Upon arrival, he found that training had only just begun. There were equipment shortages, inadequate facilities, and insufficient personnel in the key career fields.

To command a wing already formed was a job in itself. But to guide its formation and training with the added handicap of equipment and personnel shortages was still a greater task.

Col. A. J. Beck, present commander of the 340th Bombardment Wing, was sent to do the job. His experience and training, gained with SAC since its inception in 1945, made him uniquely qualified for this tremendous task.

Col. Beck came here directly from an assignment as deputy commander of the 3902nd Air Base Wing at Offutt Air Force Base; headquarters of SAC. Prior to his assignment with the 3902nd, the Colonel had been responsible for setting up the Air Judge Advocate Section of SAC and, as chief of this section, was on General Curtis LeMay's personal staff. General LeMay is the tough commander who has made SAC the mighty war deterrent that it is today. Colonel Beck has found good use for the knowledge he gained while with this great General.

Newly assigned personnel with the 340th Bomb Wing are immediately impressed by his dynamic personality and ability to produce results under the most adverse conditions. His ability to organize makes each man a member of the overall team; eager to make that team the best.

One finds the Colonel firm, but just. An honest mistake is overlooked, but he feels that efforts producing no results are unnecessary. He encourages friendly competition between the squadrons and as a result, each squadron is acutely aware of training progress.

One of the many ingenious ways in which he has encouraged com-

petition and brought the final goal nearer is through the Ready Race. This "Race" is between the three tactical squadrons and is actually a race to become combat ready by finishing the necessary training accomplishments each month. A scoring system was devised and scoreboards were placed throughout the base. Each man wants to see his "team" win and willingly makes an extra effort.

Colonel Beck also enjoys an extremely fine relationship with the surrounding communities. Friendly, cultivated and possessed of an extremely pleasant personality, he easily makes friends and fully realizes the vast importance of good community relations.

Making his unit combat ready is the immediate goal of Colonel Beck, who already has a distinguished combat record. He graduated from flight training in 1941 and was soon transferred overseas where he spent approximately 37 months. He was stationed in the Asiatic-Pacific Theater of Operations and flew a total of 133 combat missions; flying both fighter and bomber type aircraft. His decorations, while too numerous to list here, include the Air Medal, the British Military Cross and the Presidential Unit Citation with three oak leaf clusters.

Visitors to Colonel Beck's home are immediately impressed by its air of warm welcome and the charm of its hostess, Ann Gilaire, the wife of Colonel Beck.

The Becks were married in Dallas, Tex., the Colonel's home, in October, 1945, and they have four children, Stephanie Jo, 8 years old, Melanie Gilaire, 5 years old, Darcy Jane, 1 year old, and the newest arrival, John Dallas, just two weeks old.

This then, is the man who has come to our community to command such a huge organization. He's had problems, but his unflinching perseverance has carried him forward. His goal of making the 340th Bombardment Wing a combat ready unit capable of global bombardment operations against any aggressor will be attained.

Delayed Oil Strike

PRATT, Kas. (AP)—Ezra Elliott worked hard to interest fellow citizens in oil development 30 years ago. The first well was dry, but Elliott kept up his interest until his death two years ago. Since his death, drillers have found oil on Elliott's land, just a mile from the first test well.



WING COMMANDER AND FAMILY—Col. A. J. Beck, left, commander of the 487th Bomb Wing, Sedalia Air Force Base, was supposed to have his picture taken with his family, but this was prevented by a welcome interference, the addition of another young commander, John Dallas Beck, to the family. So at right we present the "interference" and his happy mother. There are three little sisters to play with John at home.

Salt-Mine Shelter

LANSING, MICH. (AP)—Natural bomb shelters, bigger than the tallest skyscrapers, lie far underground in various parts of Michigan and could be put to use in the event of an atomic attack.

The state conservation department is studying parts of the state where large beds of salt are surrounded by formations of hard rock. Officials say the salt could be mined or washed away, leaving large caverns suitable for bomb-proof storehouses.

One of the largest of these caverns is an old salt mine under the southeast section of Detroit. It lies 250 feet beneath the surface and contains 250 million cubic feet of space. If converted to store-room use, it could hold more stores than a building a block square and 100 feet higher than the Empire State building.

Fox Outfoxed Himself

GALESBURG, Ill. (AP)—Robert Ericson, state conservation officer, found a fox that wasn't so sly.

The fox made the wrong step when he was snooping around Clark Sherman's home. Sherman went down in the basement to tend his furnace, heard the shrill barking of the fox trapped in a window well, and caught it.

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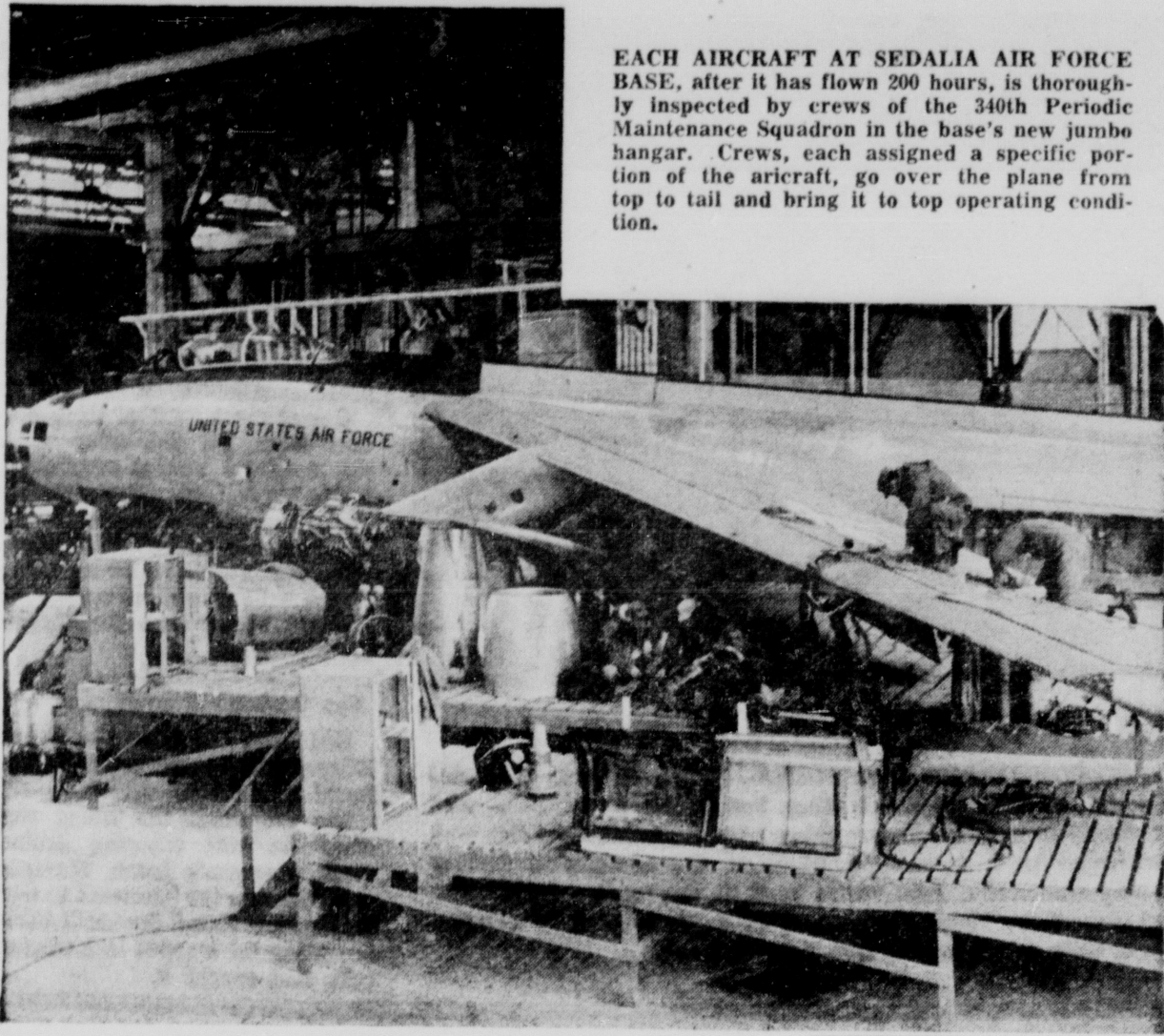
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Those Vapor Trails Indicate Preparedness And Security

Day after day people of the Sedalia area look up into the sky to watch a tiny silver speck tracing a line of vapor across the sky. These trails turn and twist in strange patterns and one wonders if the men in those far distant planes aren't just aimlessly playing in the sky.

Nothing could be farther from the truth. For in those tiny specks high above three men are earnestly working, perfecting the skill of bombing. They are preparing for the day when they might be called upon to hurl an atomic bomb to a city in the heart of an aggressor nation.

Combat readiness is the byword at Sedalia Air Force Base. Toward this goal the 340th Bomb Wing has been working for the past year. The work of the 3000 men stationed there during the past year has been aimed at achieving the state of combat readiness.

Just what is combat readiness and what does it take to reach this status? First, let's look at the air crew members, the men who fly and navigate the swept-wing Boeing B - 47 Stratojet bomber. These are the key men in the team, the ones who will deliver the bombs if war comes.

The B - 47 medium bomber used at Sedalia Air Force Base carries a crew of only three men, and these three men have but scant room in the huge plane. The remainder of the ship is filled with electronic gadgets, fuel tanks, and bomb bays. Consequently these three men must be capable of performing the job of 10 or 12 crew members of the World War II B-29 and B-50. They have twice as much to do and half as much time to do it in, for the B-47 is a fast plane, capable of speeds over 600 miles per hour.

Each man on the B-47 has his hands full, but the observer, perhaps more than any other, has the most duties. He is navigator—and keeping track of your location when you are roaring along at 600 mph is a full-time job. He is the bombardier — another tough job which demands not only a thorough knowledge of the electronic systems but also pinpoint accuracy. He is radio man and gunner. All of this he does at his cubicle in the nose portion of the aircraft.

Above him sits the aircraft com-

mander, the "three-headed monster" of the jet age. This man flies the aircraft, a job which sounds simple, but which demands years of training and experience and keeps him occupied throughout the mission. His nickname comes from his ability to perform any and all of the crew duties on the aircraft.

The third man on the crew, the co-pilot, occupies the cockpit directly behind the AC. He's the handy man. He flies the aircraft when the AC is otherwise occupied or aids the observer with his duties.

The B-47 air crew men often carry flight lunches aloft on a four or five-hour mission and return never having had time to even open the box.

Flying the B-47 is only a part of the work necessary to performing a combat mission. The range of the B-47 is limited, so to reach a distant target the plane must be refueled. Thus aerial refueling must be perfected. This requires teamwork and training of both the tanker crews and the bomber crews.

Today's bombers fly in all weather and by the use of radar can bomb a target regardless of visibility. The combat crew must perfect this skill through numerous simulated strikes on targets, cities in the U.S. which resemble those of a probable foe.

Radar and celestial navigation must be practiced and perfected by the B-47 if it is to find its target, strike effectively, and return to its home base.

These are but a few of the skills the B-47 crew must perfect before they can be called combat ready.

This, then, is what sends those tiny specks streaking through the sky overhead. Every other function at Sedalia Air Force Base is primarily concerned with sending these planes into the air and training these air crews.

One day soon, the 340th Bombardment Wing will be "ready" and one more muscle in the Strategic Air Command air arm will be added.

Operation Pet Dog

BATTLE CREEK, Mich. (AP) —To give peace of mind to Johnny Green, 11, the Army exhumed the body of a mongrel dog. Johnny feared one of several dogs destroyed by the Army was his missing pet. It wasn't.

Lucky Arrest

NORFOLK, Va. (AP)—State Trooper Walter Branch tells this one:

Branch got up to 95 miles per hour before he was able to halt a speeding motorist. Branch said he was just plain mad when he saw that the speeder was accompanied by his wife and a small child. The driver emerged with a scowl on his face denied he was driving as fast as the trooper said, and began to express his opinion of the officer in no uncertain terms. Having developed a thick skin Branch let the remarks fall on deaf ears as he wrote out a summons to court.

Just then a tire blew out on a front wheel of the motorist's car.

"Friend, if I hadn't stopped you I might have been called to help gather up the bodies of your wife and child," Branch said.

The officer said the speeder act-

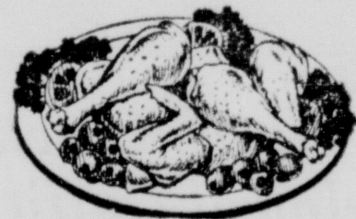
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SAFB Commander Once Led Okinawa Based B-29 Outfit

Col. Charles V. Neil, commander of Sedalia Air Force Base, stepped into his present position of responsibility in January of this year as Colonel Franklin K. Reyher was assigned to North Africa.

For a year he served as deputy commander and displayed such qualities of leadership that he was the obvious choice to succeed his former chief.

At first meeting one is apt to be surprised by the youthful appearance and enthusiasm of this man. He looks more like a jet pilot than a leader of the approximately 1500 men who man the functions which support the 340th Bomb Wing.

At heart, however, Col. Neil is a jet pilot and confesses that some day he hopes to learn to fly the Boeing B-47 medium bomber, the aircraft flying from Sedalia Air Base.

Before coming to Sedalia in February of 1954, he commanded a B-29 squadron on Okinawa which were flying combat missions over Korea during that conflict. During this period he flew ten combat missions and was awarded the Bronze Star. He also holds the Air Medal.

Col. Neil was promoted to full colonel only last year after 13 years of continuous active service. He was born in Renville, Minn., and attended the University of Minnesota for three years. He first entered the Army Air Corps in 1941.

It was in 1943, while at instrument school at Bryan Air Force Base, Tex., that the then First Lieutenant Neil met his wife-to-be

Cecil Braly. She was also a First Lieutenant serving with the Nurse Corps at the Bryan Base Hospital.

Fate placed Lieutenant Neil in the hospital for a month with pneumonia. Cecil was his nurse during the period. They became acquainted and shortly thereafter announced their engagement. They were married in the Bryan Base Chapel that September and it was there that their first child, Janice Ann, now 11, was born.

Cecil's home was Paducah, Tex. She graduated from Baylor University Hospital in Dallas in 1938 and joined the Army Nurse Corps with the dream of travelling in 1940.

In 1946, Col. Neil was sent to Roth Air Depot, Nuernberg, Germany. He was later joined by his wife and little girl at Bruck Air Depot, Erlangen, Germany. The Neil's second child, Charles Hugh, who is now six, was born during their stay in Germany.

When this new arrival was only six weeks old, the Neils returned to the States and Washington, D.C., where Col. Neil was assigned to the Pentagon for three years.

From Washington, in August of 1953, Col. Neil went through transition school at Randolph Field, and the family joined him. However, when he was sent to the Far East in 1953, Cecil and the children went back to their home in Texas.

The family came to Sedalia following Col. Neil's return from Okinawa.

In his position as base commander, Col. Neil commands the seven squadrons which make up the 340th Air Base Group. These



BASE COMMANDER AND FAMILY—Col. Charles V. Neil, left, commander of the Sedalia Air Force Base, has had a colorful service background before assuming the base command. At right he relaxes from his duties with his family. His little girl, Janice, is absorbed in watching television, but young Charles hangs onto his model jet plane even amid the distractions.

units include the Food Service Squadron, the Air Police, the Supply and Operation units, the Headquarters Squadron, the Motor Vehicle Squadron and the Installa-

tions Squadron. These units provide the support for the units which are directly concerned with flying such as the Bomb Squadrons, the Air Refueling Squadron and the Main-

Hot Crash

CLINTON, S.C. (AP)—Truck driver Alfred Payne was in front of the fire station when his truck caught fire. The blaze was extinguished quickly.

While he was inside the fire station telephoning home, the truck rolled down a grade, knocked down a mail box and a fire hydrant and crashed into an oak tree.

The town was without water for six hours while the hydrant was repaired.

Safe Burglary

RICHMOND, Va. (AP)—Burglars lugged a 300-pound drug store safe into a car and took it to a secluded spot in the woods. There they found it was empty. They found, also, it hadn't been locked in the first place.

tenance Squadrons.

Col. Neil is the host to the public who come to see the base and he must work closely with the people of the community to further good relations between the base and the community.

For this he is well qualified. He has lived in Sedalia during the time he was deputy commander and he has many friends there (He now lives in the base commander's quarters on the base.)

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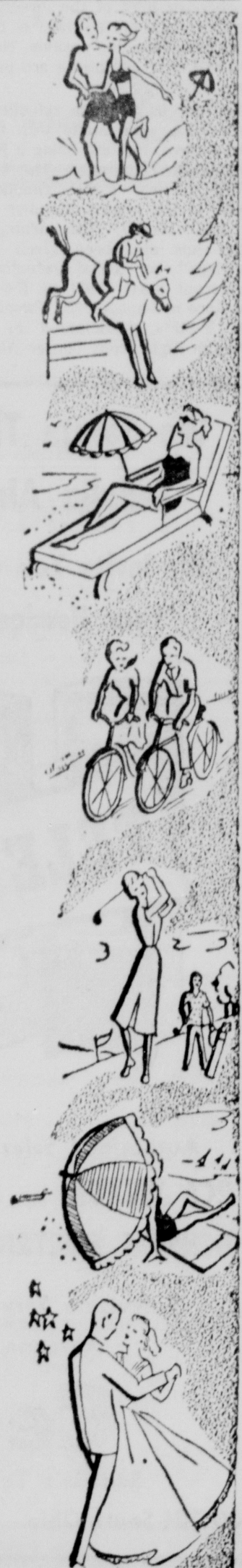
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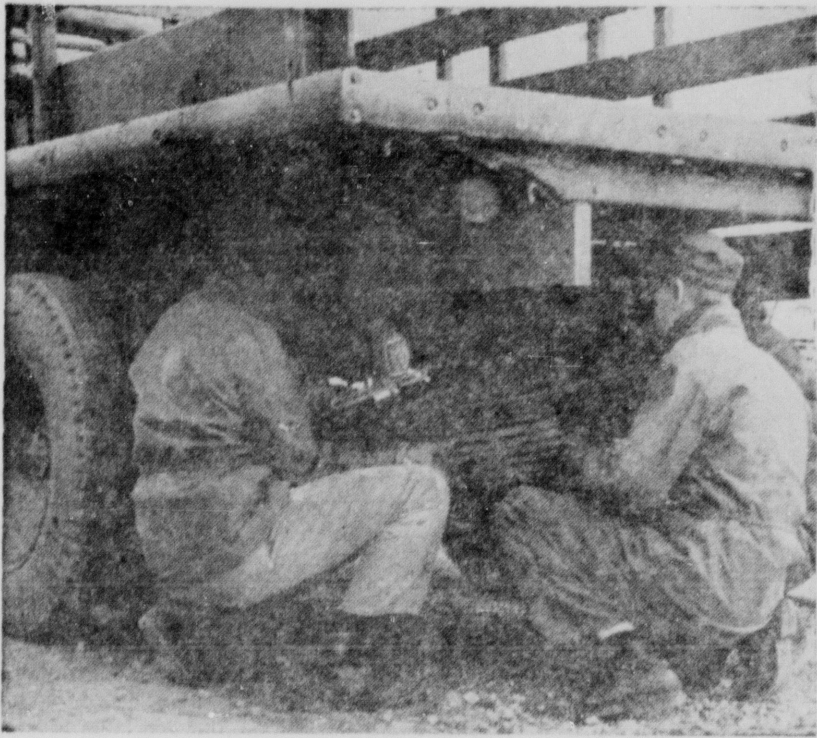
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CHANGING TIRES is a troublesome duty, but a necessary one for these drivers at the Sedalia Air Force Base motor pool. (Photo by S/Sgt. R. K. McDonald.)

Aerial Refueling

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long panels read "Up," "Down," "Forward," and "Aft" to advise the receiver pilot of the direction to move when his airplane is out of the ideal refueling position. Now night refueling operations are part of routine operations.

The first jet airplane refuelings in the USA were made with the boom system, the first being a Republic F-84 Thunderjet. The improved version, F-84F Thunderstreak, is the newest member of the SAC family. This strategic fighter has also been given its "long-legs" by aerial refueling. One recent mass flight of F-84's took place in August, 1953. Twenty-eight F-84F's participated in a 4,000-mile flight from Turner AFB

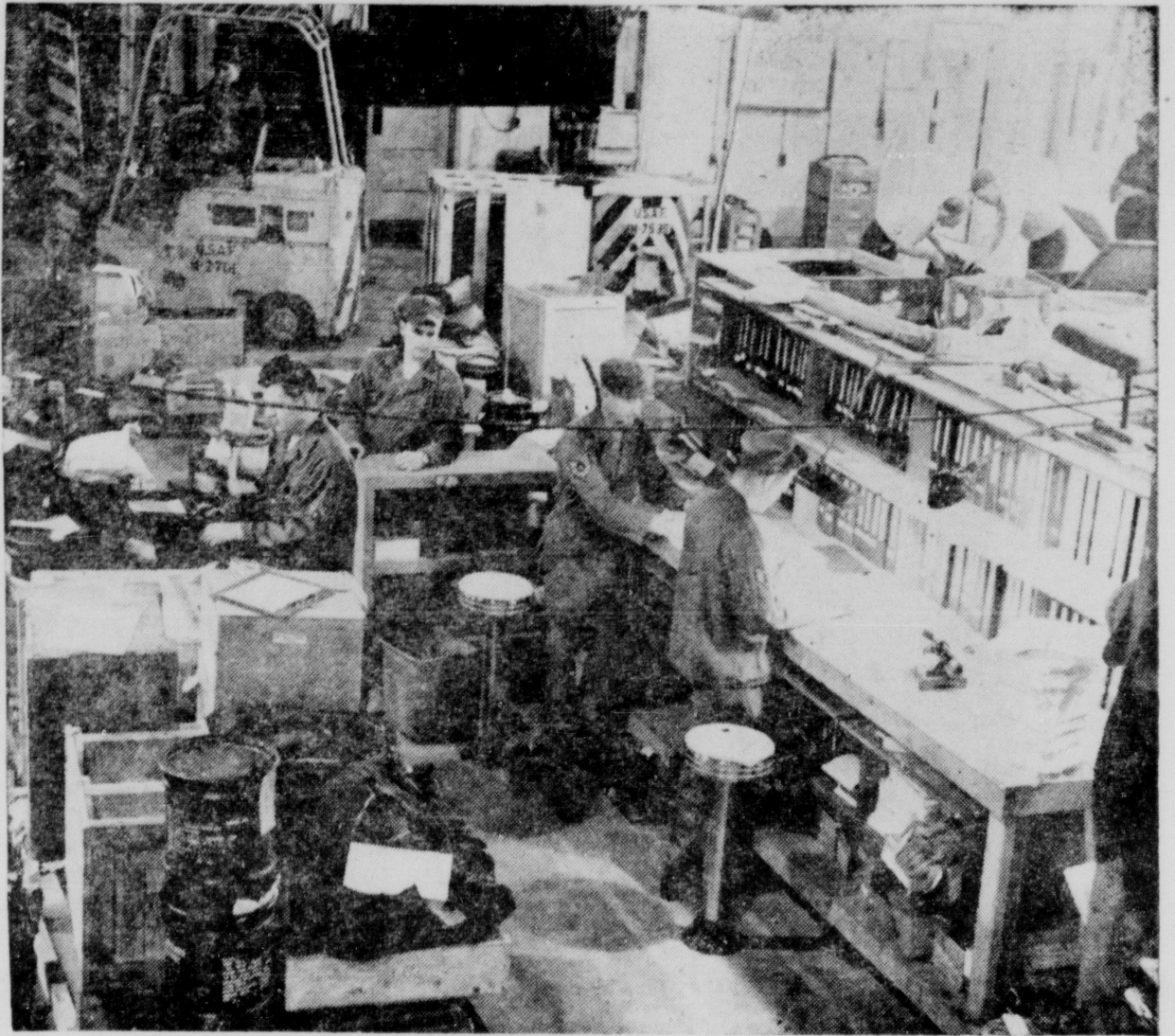
at Albany, Ga., to England and North Africa utilizing air-to-air refueling.

Mission Accomplished

The problems overcome in the development of aerial refueling have been manifold. At first they were bewildering, but persistence and ingenuity won out. The Boeing Airplane Company combined its resources with the experts of the Air Force and came up with the solutions.

Most gratifying of all results is the safety record of operations. There have never been any injuries to personnel during refueling with the flying boom.

The ultimate in aerial refueling of present-day aircraft has been achieved now, in the experimental use of B-47 jet tankers to refuel B-47 bombers. The receiver B-47



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was modified to mount a long, streamlined refueling "probe" jutting down its nose. The other Stratojet has an adaptation of the

probe-and-drogue refueling system installed in its bomb bay.

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GENERAL CURTIS E. LEMAY, Commander-in-Chief of the Strategic Air Command. (USAF photo)

Gen. LeMay Has Established Many Bombing Innovations

General Curtis E. LeMay, commander-in-chief of the Strategic Air Command, once led his bomb group on what was then termed a "suicidal" straight-in bomb run to take the flak-dodging zigzag out of bombardment tactics.

This celebrated mission, over Saint-Nazaire, and the ordering of a low-level, 500-foot, night attack on Tokyo, with B-29s stripped of gunnery to provide maximum bomb load, are two of the better known of General LeMay's innovations that have made his name synonymous with strategic air bombardment in the world today.

General LeMay, to the military strategists of many nations, is identified with intercontinental bombing and mid-air refueling, the huge B-36, the B-47 and the new B-52. However, his Air Force career began in a pursuit squadron at Selfridge Field, Michigan, where he was assigned as a second lieutenant in the Army on completion of flying school at Kelly Field in 1929.

When World War II broke out, the future four-star general was by then well established in bombardment. In 1943 he took the 305th Bombardment Group, one of the first USAF bomb groups to enter combat, to England. It was with this group that he initiated the lead crew system for achieving bomb accuracy and a combat formation of 18 aircraft that fully exploited formation firepower against fighter attacks from any angle.

In 1945 General LeMay was commanding the Mariana-based 20th Air Force in the Pacific and later became Chief of Staff, U.S. Army Strategic Air Forces, with headquarters at Guam. Post-war assignments include Chief of Air Staff for Research and Development, and Commander, United States Air Forces in Europe. During this last assignment he initiated the Berlin Airlift.

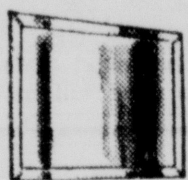
In October, 1948, he became commander of the Strategic Air Command. Since that date, the command's aircraft have increased greatly in both number

and quality. Today SAC has within its reach every strategically important target in the world. Long range bombers, aerial refueling,

highly trained crews, specialized technicians have brought into being a global concept of strategic air bombardment that has revolutionized warfare.

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General LeMay, a native of Columbus, O., likes "ham" radios, building and driving sports cars, and hunting. He is married to the former Helen Estelle Maitland and has one daughter, Patricia Jane.



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Big Building Push Going At Air Base

During the past four years, since Sedalia Air Force Base, was taken over by the Strategic Air Command, an immense construction program has been underway. Over \$22 million has been invested in pavement of runways and taxi strips, in building construction and other projects to ready the base for a Strategic Air Command Medium Bomb Wing.

Among the projects now complete are the jumbo hangar, the parking ramp paving and the 10,000 foot runway, new supply warehouse and maintenance shops, new operations buildings, administrative buildings, dining halls, living quarters, and the hospital.

Most of the construction was of operational nature, that is it was of the most immediate need toward getting the flying underway. Much of the recreational facilities had to wait, although a Service Club and Officer's Club were included in the early construction.

Only now has construction on recreation facilities begun. But Sedalia is getting just about everything imaginable now.

An all masonry gymnasium will be started very soon, the contract has been let and the construction company has been notified to begin work. This will house a full college - size basketball court flanked on both sides by bleacher seats. There will also be a handball court and facilities for volleyball, boxing, wrestling, weightlifting and just about every other indoor sport imaginable.

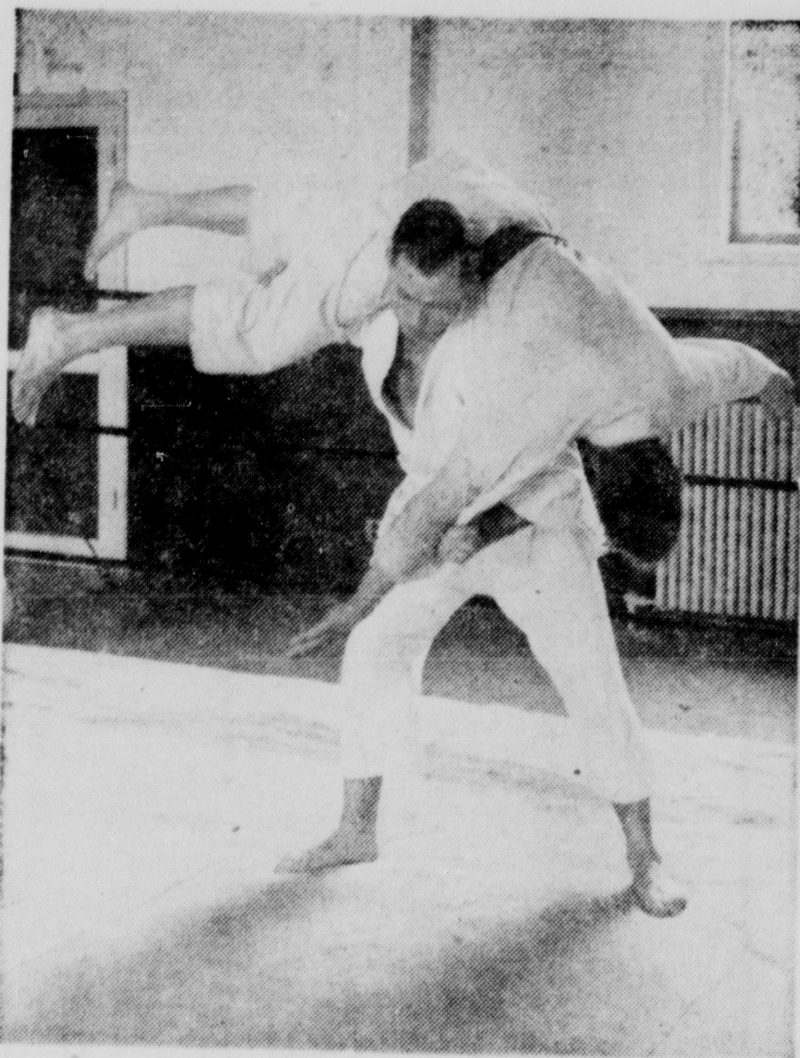
An Olympic-size swimming pool is now under construction. Here intra - mural swimming competitions will be held, as well as aquatic survival training for the combat crews. The pool will be lighted both above and below water and will of course be accompanied by a large bath house. Three diving boards will also be built for the pool.

Lighted Baseball and softball diamonds will be constructed this

Cash Divided

TRAVERSE CITY, Mich. (AP)—An alert motorist notified state police when he saw five men dividing money from a cash bag along a highway. Looked like there had been a robbery.

Troopers rushed to the scene. The five were student ministers. They had pooled their resources for a tour and were making a periodic "dividend" from the community fund when the motorist passed.



THEY KEEP PHYSICALLY TRIM — An athletic and physical training program at the base is aimed at keeping the men physically trim and at the same time provide them with recreation. At left is a typical scene from a judo class and at right a volleyball gets a thorough work-over.

summer along with tennis courts, and an outdoor basketball court.

All of these sports facilities will be located in an area convenient to the barracks so that the men will have to walk but a little distance to and from.

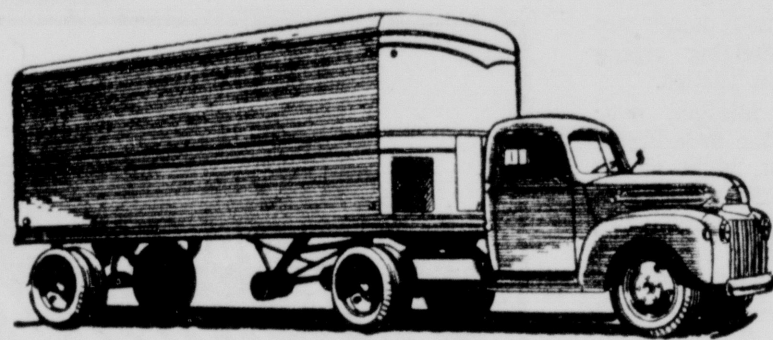
The base bowling alley, which only recently was completed, has six glistening alleys and is open each afternoon and evening for the off - duty recreation of the airmen and officers of Sedalia Air Force Base. Intramural leagues have already been formed and the alleys ring with falling pins every night as the keen competition goes along.

Planning for a golf course at Sedalia Air Force Base is now underway. Recently the Strategic Air Command Morale and Welfare Fund Council granted Sedalia \$25 thousand in non - appropriated funds for the construction of this facility.

The Sedalia non - commissioned officers will have a new club building this summer as construction has already begun. An extension to the present officers club is also under construction.

Sedalia's hobby shops, theatre, and other recreational facilities are being improved and a new library building is being provided. Although not under construction the other projects include a new base exchange building and gasoline service station.

In a very short time, Sedalia Air Force Base will have one of the most complete recreational programs in the Command, a must for the maintaining of morale among the airmen.

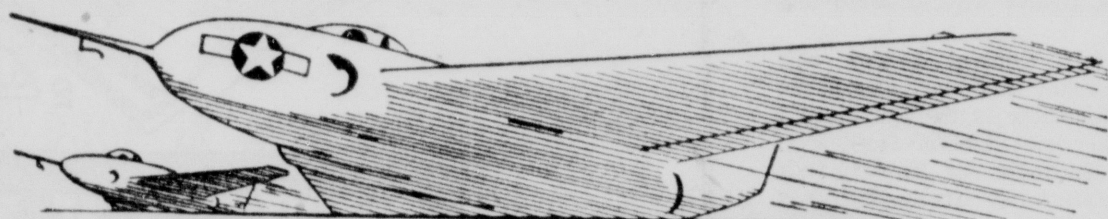


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AF General Has a String Of 'Firsts'

Major General Frank A. Armstrong, Jr., is the commanding officer of the Strategic Air Command's Second Air Force, with headquarters at Barksdale Air Force Base, Louisiana.

He has visited the Sedalia Air Force Base several times during which times he met and made numerous friends among the citizens of the communities of Sedalia, Warrensburg, Knob Noster and Windsor.

General Armstrong, whose 26-year career is sprinkled with notable firsts, received his own wings and commission on February 28, 1929 at Kelly Field, Texas.

Pocketing two degrees (LL.B and B.Sc.) from Wake Forest College, North Carolina, General Armstrong enlisted as a flying cadet in 1928.

Turning down a major league baseball contract, General Armstrong took to military flying as one born to the trade. Within a year after receiving his wings and commission, he was a flying instructor in the fledgling Air Corps. After about three years as an instructor and training in navigation and instrument flying, he went to the Panama Zone for a tour of duty. He returned to the States in March, 1937.

Then followed various assignments with bombardment squadrons until he went to England in 1940 as a military observer. Returning three months later, he finally was ordered to the Air Force Headquarters in Washington, D. C. In February, 1942, General Armstrong went back to England for duty with the Eighth Bomber Command. He subsequently served as a bombardment group commander, wing commander, and division commander in the European Theater of Operations.

In August 1942, General Armstrong (then a colonel) led the first US daylight bombing raid over Axis territory. The following February, his group bombed Wilhelmshaven in the first heavy bomber raid over Germany proper. His experiences during that time are the basis of the novel



Maj. Gen. Frank Armstrong

and movie, "Twelve O'Clock High."

General Armstrong is a rated command pilot, combat observer, and technical observer. Whereas he achieved fame in multi-engined bombers during World War II, his son hopes to be assigned to a jet fighter group.

Included in General Armstrong's string of "firsts" are his being the first U.S. officer to be awarded the British Flying Cross during World War II and his being assigned commanding general of the Sixth Air Division in May 1951 for the signal purpose of training and equipping the AF's first B-47 stratojet wing.

Nineteen fifty-five looks like another memorable year in General Armstrong's career. Last January while winning the first flight title in a Second Air Force Headquarters golf tournament at his home station, Barksdale AFB, La.

Gen. Armstrong recently had the pleasure of delivering the

graduation address to members of Class "55-I", 3505th Pilot Training Wing, Greenville, Miss., of which his son Frank A. Armstrong, III, the only son of the General, was a member.

Young Frank must have known early in life he was destined to follow his father's footsteps. He displayed both the desire and aptitude for military life during his high school days in Staunton Military Academy, in Staunton, Va., where he graduated in 1947.

However, his athletic desires did not follow the pattern, and in college he preferred weight-lifting; his father was an ardent baseball player and golfer.

His son like his father took an

SAC Personnel Are Citizens In the Nearby Communities

The people of Strategic Air Command are citizens of the communities in which they live.

Recent surveys have shown that wherever there is a SAC base, its people have become an integral part of the nearby communities.

Air Force officers and airmen come from all walks of life—from all occupations, many of them technical or professional. The kind of people who fly and maintain aircraft equipment have to be good. Any military base is a cross section of America's young and middle-aged men.

In spite of the fact that Air Force people are in communities for only a short time they contribute to it in many ways. Here are some of the ways they contribute:

They become active in the churches as singers, youth group workers and enthusiastic workers for special projects.

To the schools they bring active members of the PTA who have learned valuable lessons elsewhere. The enrollment of one school near Barksdale Air Force Base is 80 per cent Air Force dependents and five out of the six officers of the PTA are Air Force wives.

To the civic clubs Air Force people offer an immense reservoir of speakers on many subjects. Many assist in YMCA and YWCA work as well as Boy and Girl Scout activities.

The Air Force is especially proud of its fine mothers and homemakers who adapt themselves quickly and have a broad understanding of problems that all women face. The frequent absence of the man in the family

AB degree from Wake Forest in June 1952 and then enlisted as an air cadet in October 1952, at Jacksonville, Fla.

is one reason dependents need and appreciate an active community life.

At Hunter Air Force Base, near Savannah, Ga., base officials and civic leaders meet regularly as a joint committee to work out ways and means to stimulate mutual participation in events.

The Air Force helps to save lives, too. Frequently air-sea rescue units from SAC bases are called upon for rescue of distressed civilian aircraft and shipping.

At many SAC bases there exist flying clubs for military personnel and often members of the clubs join with the Civil Air Patrol units in searching for lost hunters and straying children. Such clubs are now being planned for the Sedalia AFB.

At each SAC base will be found people interested in every imaginable hobby from astronomy to amateur zoology. These groups join with people in local communities interested in the same things. Obvious examples are camera clubs, fish and game associations, sports car clubs, model airplane builders and the like.

Air Force people are generous, too. They regularly support the Community Chest and Red Cross, the March of Dimes, and so on, in the community near them. They are willing and active members of the organizations. The Airways Communications Service personnel have for years provided meals and presents for orphans at Father's Day, Thanksgiving and Christmas.

It would be pointless for the officers and airmen of the Air Force to devote their lives to defending the communities if they did not also share in the responsibilities of making their adopted communities better places for themselves and their family to live.

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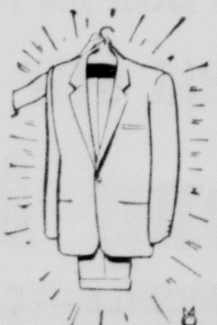


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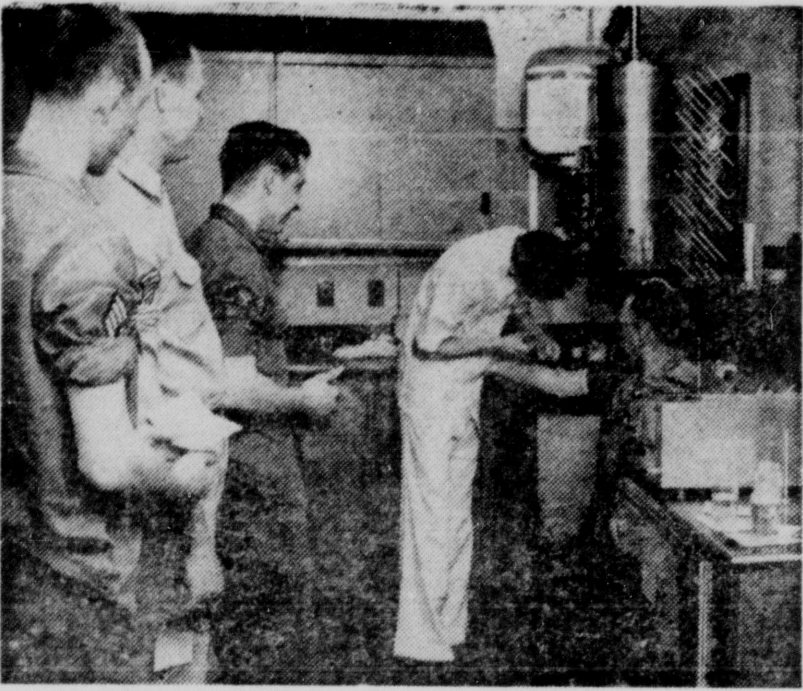
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BASE HOSPITAL IS BUSY PLACE—At left, Mrs. Margaret Gray of the 448 Bomb Squadron, watches her daughter, Susan, get her temperature taken by A/3c Samuel Bowers. At right, A/1c H. A. Wingfield of the medics gives T/Sgt. Evert Miller a blood test as, left to right, S/Sgt. Samuel Ewell, T/Sgt. Sam Massingill and A/1c James Roberts wait their turn.

New SAFB Hospital Is Month Old and Already Busy Place

Anything real important happen to you within the past 20 minutes? Do you expect anything important in the next 20? Or the following 20?

Maybe not, in your case, but in the space of that hour, it decidedly is important to three members of the SAC team!

For within that hour, three Strategic Air Command families have increased in size. Because a baby is born in a SAC hospital every 20 minutes, 24 hours a day, 365 days a year.

It's a big job handled by the USAF Medical Service, virtually unnoticed by all (except those three families per hour).

Since the new Sedalia Air Force Base hospital opened a month ago 21 babies have been born, including 9-lb. 3½-oz. John Dallas Beck, son of the 340th Bomb Wing Commander, Col. A. J. Beck. This is an average of four babies per week.

Sedalia's new 50-100 bed hospital was built at a cost of \$952,000 and was completed in mid-March of this year. It is a one-story structure of modern design and incorporates some of the latest innovations in construction of this kind. The building throughout is cheerfully and tastefully decorated. The sound-proof ceilings virtually eliminate noise, contributing to patient's comfort. Pleasant music is heard in all sections of the hospital, piped to the rooms on an intercom system, and air conditioning in much of the building also makes the hospital stay more enjoyable for the patient.

The hospital kitchen is the pride of Col. Edward G. Cada, Hospital Commander. It has a complete line of gleaming stainless steel roasting ovens, grills, broilers, boilers, fryers, refrigerators, dish washers and everything else required to feed the patients.

The equipment in the X-ray lab, clinical labs, the operating rooms, obstetrical wards, the out-patient clinic, the emergency room; in fact throughout, is the very latest and most efficient.

Each morning military men report for sick call at 8 a.m. They are examined and either admitted to the hospital for treatment or given medication from the hospital pharmacy. The dependents are treated in the afternoons. There is also a separate section of the hospital for flying personnel, called the Flight Surgeon's Office. Periodic physical examinations are made here to insure perfect health of the air crew members.

Expectant mothers receive prenatal care at the hospital, and when the time for delivery arrives, they are admitted to the obstetrical clinic, which is in a separate wing of the hospital building. The women occupy either double or single rooms during their stay and the delivery is made if at all possible by the doctor who has cared for them during their pregnancy.

The OB ward has two large delivery rooms and complete nursery facilities. The mother and child stay in the hospital for an average of five days.

It's a big job handled by the USAF Medical Service here and throughout the numerous hospitals of the Air Force. Any doctor assigned to a Second Air Force hospital, such as Sedalia's, has his work cut out for him every day, caring for the multiple military requirements, and trying to ease the blow when illness hits.

Under the medical workload, sickness is first broken down into two categories, "out-patients," meaning those requiring treatment but not hospitalization, and "in-patients," of course meaning hospitalization.

The number of patients, and the number of doctors assigned to see these patients depends on the size of the base and the average daily sick call. Sedalia has eight medical doctors, four dentists and seven nurses. The average daily sick call for military personnel is 30 and for dependents 35.

Four doctors handle the morning sick call and the afternoon dependent's examination and treatment. This means that each doctor must see 18 patients each day as well as care for the "in-patients" in the wards.

An average of 30 flying personnel report to the Flight Surgeon's office each day. This work is handled by two doctors.

The Sedalia Air Force Base Dental Clinic, is apart from the hospital in a more accessible section of the base. The four dentists make their examinations daily at 8 a.m. and do treatment by appointment in the afternoons. On an average they see 60-65 military personnel and dependents each day.

One complaint one may hear about the Medical Service is that they "have no bedside manner," but it doesn't take more than a moment to see these doctors must work efficiently with an absolute minimum of lost motion if they

are to aid the number of patients required each day.

For in-patients, the average medical doctor cares for 12 patients per day, realizing that here, much additional service is required. About 45 per cent of the in-patients at any one time is likely to be dependents. But, by the end of a month, due to the fact the average dependent does not remain in the hospital as long as military personnel, the overall figure on hospitalization raises to 60 per cent for dependents.

These figures show conclusively that the Medical Service provides as much care for dependents as humanly possible.

Dependent care is one of those benefits vital to the morale of the serviceman. But it is a benefit and is certainly secondary to the care of the military man. Dependent care is always on a "when and where available" basis as was illustrated during months prior to

the opening of the hospital when very little care could be given.

Pantryshelf Help: Need an extra vegetable for unexpected company? Open a can of small white boiled onions, drain and heat in a cheese sauce. Sprinkle with minced parsley or green onion tops — if they are in the refrigerator — before serving.

School Report

ANN ARBOR, Mich. (AP) — Neal Gross, head of the Harvard School of Executives Studies, says an "ideal" school board member is a sort of King Solomon who does everything quickly and cheaply, even when he knows nothing about it.

Gross told a conference for school board members, school officials and laymen the ideal school board member should have:

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2. A built-in telephone holder on one shoulder and a tear absorber on the other.
3. The ability to make wise and penetrating decisions on subjects he doesn't know anything about.
4. The desire to be hooked by educational jargon.
5. The ability to tell parents that a straight line for a school bus is not necessarily door to door.
6. The connections to buy aspirin at a 50 per cent discount.
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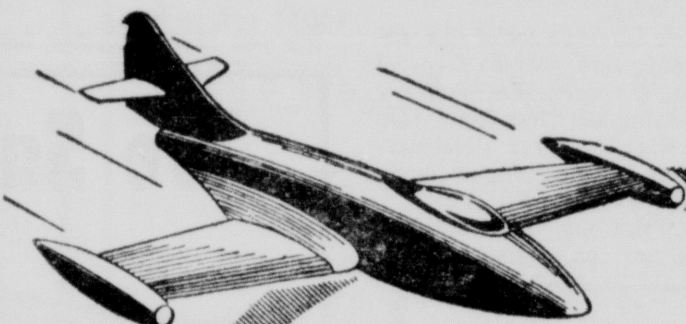


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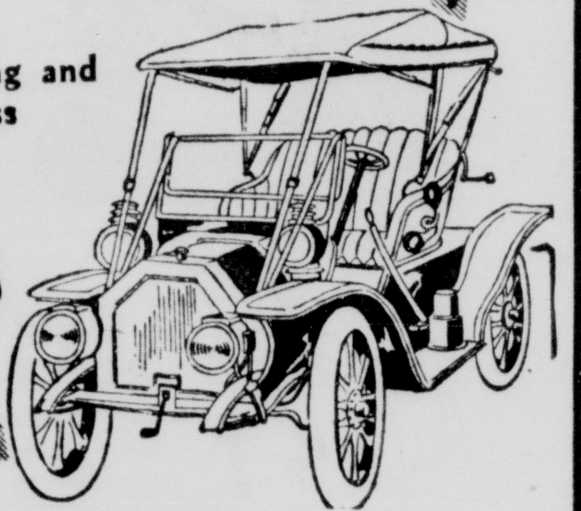
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Modern Developments Have Bro't Changes Reflected Even In Type of Air Force Staff

A car driven by a man in an Air Force uniform pulls up in front of the vacant house down the block, followed by a moving van. The new family — the Air Force family — is moving in.

Chances are, this has happened in your neighborhood during the past year and a half, since the Strategic Air Command began manning Sedalia Air Force Base. Yes, it's a pretty good bet that you have an Air Force family living on your block. And, although, you might have had some doubts as to what kind of neighbors they would make, at first, you are probably well pleased now.

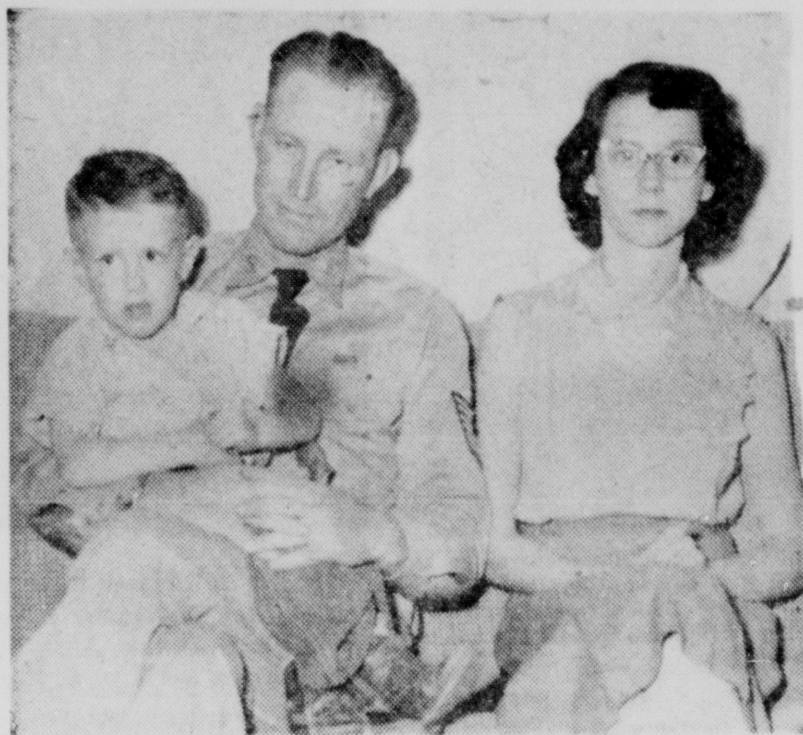
Times have changed. And with it the belief that having a military establishment nearby means disruption of the peace and quiet of the community. The Air Force family that comes to town today is a solid citizen. He's an every day guy who works from 8 to 5, who mows his lawn on Saturday, goes to a show twice a week and attends church on Sunday. They are the kind of people who make friends easily. (They know how because they are accustomed to frequent moves.) They are active in PTA, fraternal organizations — in other words they try to become a part of the community.

These Air Force families come to town reasonably sure of a two-year minimum stay for the Strategic Air Command policy to increase stability calls for a minimum of two years between permanent change of station assignments. This encourages the airmen to buy homes, cars, television sets, and other merchandise which they can pay for over a period of time.

They bolster the economy of a city like Sedalia. But more than this, they bolster the pride and morale of the community.

A typical new citizen is Master Sergeant Murel E. Abernathy. He and his wife and their 3½-year-old son, Craig, moved into the four-room basement apartment of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kuhlman at 222 East Fifth Street, fourteen months ago.

Sgt. Abernathy was a veteran of 10 years of service, first the Army and then the Air Force, when it was made a separate branch of



TYPICAL AIRMAN AT HOME—M/Sgt. Murel E. Abernathy, his wife, Doris, and their 3½-year-old son, Craig, are pictured in the living room of their four-room basement apartment at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kuhlman, 222 East Fifth. Sgt. Abernathy has been in the service 11 years.

service. He spent his first three years at Carswell Air Force Base, Fort Worth, Texas, near his home in Clarksville. He met and married the former Doris L. Jenkins of Denison, Texas, while at Carswell and shortly thereafter moved to Wichita Falls, where he attended airplane and engine mechanic technical school for nine months.

The Abernathys then went to Tampa, Fla., and MacDill Air Force Base. After a three-month training tour in England, Sgt. Abernathy and his wife came to Sedalia.

To the Abernathys, this was just another city at first. But as they settled and became acquainted with the people of Sedalia they were impressed with the friendliness and the cooperative attitude of the people.

If some had fears that the sergeant and his family would corrupt their neighborhood, they soon changed their minds. Abernathy, like most Air Force personnel living in Sedalia, is an every day guy. He works from 8 to 5 and belongs to a car pool so that he

won't have to drive the 20 miles to the base each day. Mrs. Abernathy works as a bookkeeper with the Sedalia Bank and Trust Com-

pany and the baby is cared for by the Melita Day Nursery.

Sergeant Abernathy's job is Post Flight Chief at the 488th Bomb Squadron. He is in charge of 28 men and his job is to supervise the inspections and maintenance work on all the B-47 bombers assigned to the squadron.

This is a job of vast importance and responsibility and Sergeant Abernathy is well qualified. Just last month he was promoted to the rank of master sergeant, the top enlisted rank.

Like other Sedalia families, the Abernathys shop on Saturday afternoons, bringing home approximately \$125 worth of groceries each month. Since coming here they have purchased a new car and television set.

For recreation the Abernathys go to the local movies approximately twice a week, belong to the NCO Club at the Base, and he attends the Sedalia "Little League" baseball games.

Sgt. Abernathy is a career airman. He now has 10 years service and in another 20 he can retire. Then he will probably return to his home at Clarksville, Texas, where he grew up on a farm and attended high school.

Blend unsweetened grapefruit juice with apricot nectar and chill overnight. Nice as a breakfast starter!

Ghost Town Comeback

RICO, Colo. — This town, whose gold and silver mining history began in 1869 and faded in the early 1900s, is staging a comeback. Sulphuric acid an important ingredient in processing uranium ore soon will be produced at the rate of 150 tons a day in a plant being constructed here.

Uranium mills within a 100-mile radius of Rico now depend on supplies from Utah. Most of the workers in the town's 400 population help mine iron pyrite from which the sulphuric acid is made.

Economy Fire

BREVARD, N.C. — After taking bids on the razing of an outmoded house on the campus, Brevard College took a cheaper way out and had the building burned.

Cooperating was the fire department, which used the flaming structure for a fire-fighting demonstration.

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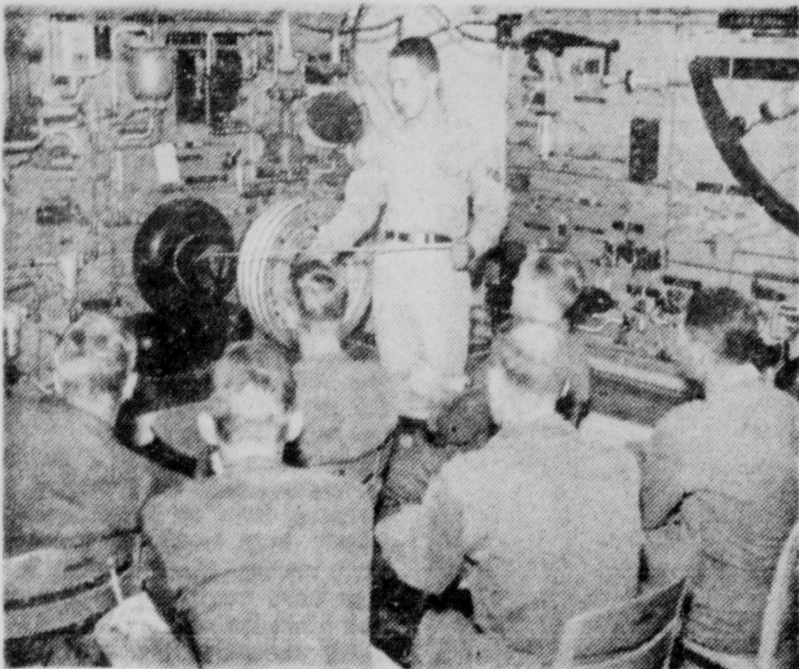
Much of the Command's tremendous potential as a global, readiness force stems from its improved weapons, its high performance planes and its highly-skilled crews. Two other factors are no less important: complete tactical mobility and realistic experience in operating from bases in many parts of the world.

Planes and equipment are maintained in a state of poised readiness. For example, essential unit equipment—the minimum equipment immediately required for short-term operation of a unit at a forward base—is packaged and ready to go at any time. "Flyaway Kits," consisting of aluminum bins on casters, are packed with critical aircraft spares for quick hoisting into bomb bays and movement to forward areas. These kits always accompany tactical aircraft and will support a wing for 30 days of operation, wherever the wing may be sent.

In addition to readiness of aircraft and equipment, personnel are always ready. All of their personal affairs, including medical inoculations, are kept up-to-date. Those whose job requires special tools, such as radio and radar technicians, have their own special "flyaway kit" packed and ready.

"When the whistle blows," an entire wing with combat planes, crews, maintenance parts, and records, as well as support planes and personnel, must be ready and capable of instantaneous movement to forward bases.

Since actual experience is the most realistic form of training, each SAC combat wing conducts maneuvers as a complete tactical unit at an advance base each year.



IT TAKES KNOW - HOW — A Mobile Training Detachment instructor points out the intricacies of a B-47 hydraulic system to a class of airmen at the base. Proper and efficient maintenance is the backbone of the Strategic Air Command program, and these men must know their jobs thoroughly.

These training cycles outside the U.S. are usually for a three-month period, and during the course of an enlistment, a SAC crewman becomes familiar with the geography, base facilities, weather and operational conditions existing in several different parts of the world.

SAC's mobility capability was demonstrated at the start of the Korean war in the summer of 1950. When that conflict began, SAC B-29's were deployed from U.S. bases and were raining bombs on North Korean targets just a week after the Communists crossed the 38th parallel.

A more recent test of SAC's mobility was the rotational training movement of the 306th Medium Bomb Wing, equipped with B-47 Stratojets, from MacDill Air Force Base in Florida to England. Forty-five of the jet bombers, staging through a base in Maine, averaged 9 hours and 19 minutes flying time on the trip. B-47's have since crossed both the Atlantic and the Pacific non-stop from Maine to England and from California to Japan.

Back in 1949, a SAC B-50 medium bomber called "The Lucky Lady" flew non-stop around the world by using in-flight refueling, and recently, with the perfection

of refueling techniques, SAC strategic jet fighter planes have joined the big bombers in global mobility. Wings of F-84's have been deployed across both the Atlantic and Pacific.

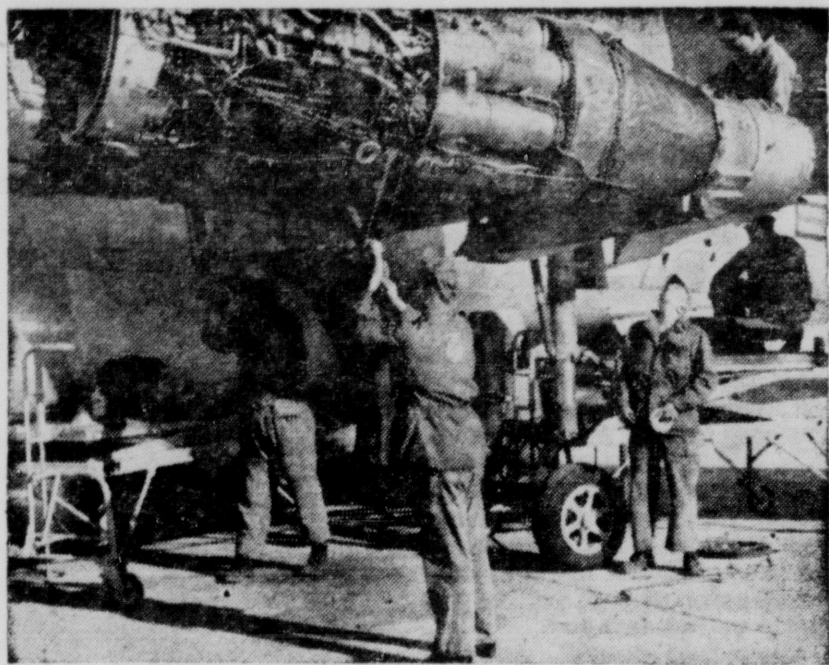
Boat Delivery

NORFOLK, Va. (P)—Maybe it is a sign of things to come, but at present Jay Ottinger, of Detroit, says he is the only person so far as he knows in the boat delivery business.

Ottinger brought here under her own power a 30-ton cabin cruiser purchased in Florida by a Seattle lumberman. He remained until he saw the cruiser crated and loaded on a ship for transport to Seattle.

Air Service

CHATSWORTH, Ga. (P)—Service station operator Walter Bayne says the unidentified pilot of a light plane landed on the highway near his place, taxied up to buy a tankfull of gas, a soft drink and a package of chewing gum and then took off.



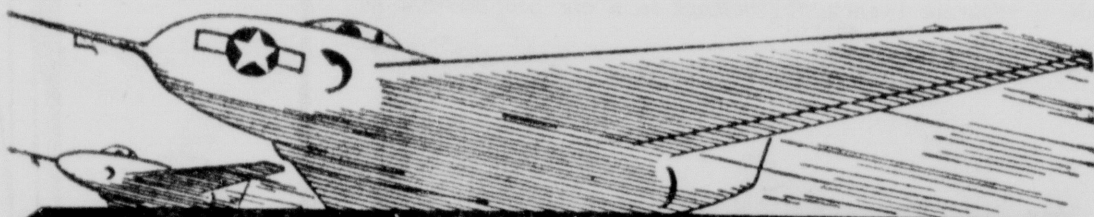
THE 100-HOUR post flight crew of the 486th Bomb Squadron checks over the engines on one of the Squadron's B-47 bombers. S/Sgt. S. W. Oswald, A/2C M. O. Moss, A/2C J. A. Morris, A/1C H. A. Tracy and A/2C F. E. Pebbles make necessary repairs.



ALTHOUGH A SIMPLE LOOKING APPARATUS, the refueling boom of the KC-97 tanker requires careful maintenance, for through it passes the fuel sorely-needed by the thirsty Boeing B-47 Stratojet. Note the control fins which are used to fly the boom into position for the mid-air hookup between the tanker and the jet.

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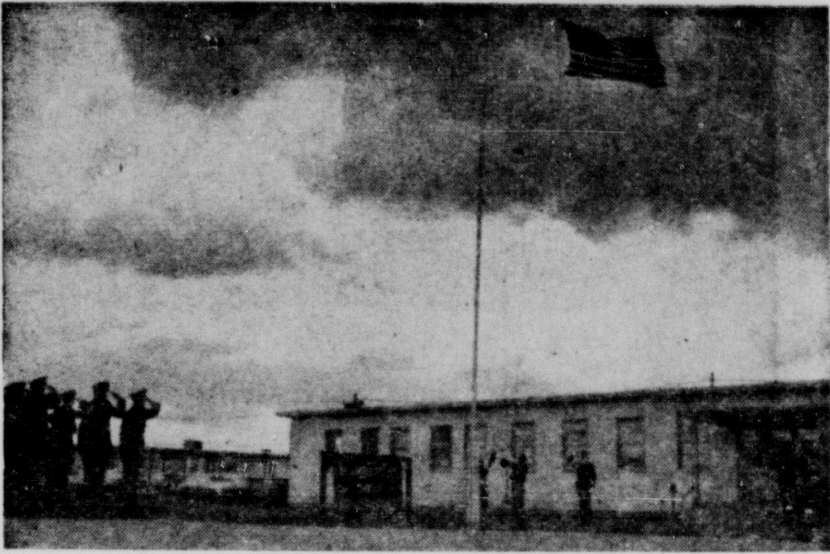
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IT'S FIVE 'TILL FIVE in the evening—Retreat Time—and a squadron of Sedalia Air Force Base airmen stand in formation and salute as the colors are lowered in front of Base Headquarters. (S/Sgt R. K. McDonald)

SAC Bombers 'Attack' US Cities Daily

Almost every day and night of the year one of America's cities is "bombed".

The invading planes are the big, but friendly, medium and inter-continental bombers of the U. S. Air Force's Strategic Air Command. Flying at altitudes ranging from 18,000 feet upwards, they "attack" targets from coast to coast with methodical regularity. In fact, during the past year, SAC bombers have theoretically "destroyed" industrial centers in almost every American city with a population of over 25,000.

It is the business of SAC, the nation's long - range air striking arm, to be able to seek out and hit any targets anywhere, and industrial areas of American cities serve as the only practical targets for most practice tests.

The planes don't carry live bombs, but their test missions are deadly serious. On the ground, every bomb run is accurately

charted with electronic devices by a Radar Bomb Scoring Detachment so that proficiency can be proved and improved.

These detachments, numbering 23 men and equipped with six trailer - trucks, operate portable radio - radar plane tracking and recording devices, which score the efficiency of SAC's potent bombers and accurately pinpoint the simulated bomb drop on each training mission.

Here's how the detachments operate:

Ground radar crews pick up attacking planes about 50 miles away from their targets on the radar scope. Planes appear as luminous dots or blips on a circular panel.

Wind velocities at all bombing levels are ascertained from data recorded by the radar while tracking "attacking" aircraft. As a bomber on a scoring run comes within range of the detachment's tracking mechanism, the rapid information computations are fed into a plotting room and the scoring technical staff is alerted for "bombs away."

Twenty seconds before "bombs away," the attacking plane turns on a radio signal. Miles away in the plotting room of the scoring



BIRD'S EYE VIEW OF AIR BASE—In this panorama scene can be seen the air base's U-shaped headquarters at left, the wing headquarters two buildings to the right, the base supply warehouse in the background and the corners of some barracks at lower right. To the right beyond the edge of the picture is located the flight line.

detachment, the signal starts a tracking mechanism which charts the bomber's course by drawing a thin line on a map overlay. At the instant the bomb is theoretically released, the release point is automatically indicated on the overlay.

From evaluation of these signals, Air Force technicians know in a few minutes if the bomb hit the aiming point — or how far it missed. In this way the team can evaluate the ability of the bomber's crew.

Weather makes little difference. In actual combat planes and crews fly their missions regardless of weather conditions. And, realistically, the Strategic Air Command continues its tests in rain, fog,

snow, windstorms and clouded visibility. With present radar bombing equipment, it's not necessary to see the target to bomb accurately.

Planes making these around-the-clock runs over selected American communities are B-52's and B-47's in the medium class and the Air Force's present heavy bomber, the 10-engined B - 36. These are the planes the Air Force would depend upon to deliver a crippling atomic counterpunch to an enemy nation in event of war.

Radar bombing practice tests are essential in developing and evaluating the skill of Strategic Air Command combat crews, on whose ability the future of the nation may one day depend.

Ornament Helps Fruit

HILLSBORO, Ore. (AP) — Rich and Son Nursery reports it has received a patent on a new tree, named the Oregon plum, developed from the ornamental flowering purple leaf plum, Prunus Pisardi, and the yellow - fruited plum, Shiro.

The new variety retains the blossoms and colored leaves of the ornamental tree. The fruit is cherry red outside and apricot yellow inside, the nursery says.

Growers say a number of new fruits have been developed in Oregon but use of a tree known chiefly as an ornamental is rare.

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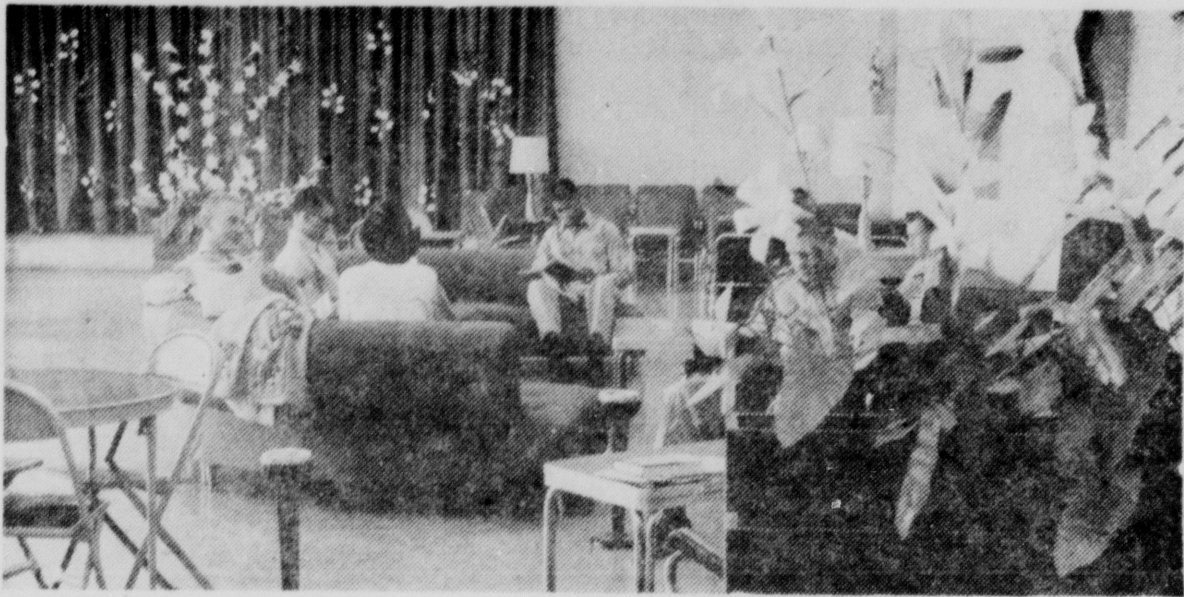
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Air Force Men Present Their Standards And Their Goals

With the world in its present state of armed conflict and confusion it is to be expected that more and more eligible men will be called into active service to don the uniforms of the military. You have undoubtedly noticed and felt the increase of personnel at the Sedalia Air Force Base and have viewed with interest and perhaps even some consternation their presence in your town.

We are under constant surveillance from critical eyes, particularly when we appear in public wearing our uniforms. It is to be expected that our uniforms make us stand out and attract more attention. I think that we are accepted by the majority of towns surrounding military reservations as being good American citizens and individuals, but there often remains the feeling that all soldiers are alike in that one soldier's actions may be interpreted as being an example of the actions of all military men. That definitely is not true. We ask the civilian population not only to accept us, but to understand us as well. We will find some of the most devoutly religious and courteous men in the world wearing the uniform, and we will also find the "bad apples" who seem intent upon trying to "spoil the barrel." Military men shouldn't be regarded as people from another world, so to speak. We are just the sons, brothers, husbands and fathers of every walk of life, who have been called to defend the things we hold dear

and believe in. True, we have many traditions and customs which must appear strange to the civilian, but such things are necessary to maintain our way of life and to keep our various organizations working properly. The majority of men are not thinking seriously of making the military a career and they hope to return to a civilian status when their period of service expires. When you look around you, you will find airmen with families who help compose and take an active part in your community's functions. They are in short, good Americans.

When a man in uniform conducts himself in such a manner as to cause critical comment and distaste, he is not typical of our servicemen. On the contrary, the majority of his fellow military men regard him in much the same manner as you do. We do not condone such actions; in fact, we are more deeply offended than you are, for we realize all too well that in violating the code of courtesy and good taste the offender has cast an unfavorable light on us who are trying our best to make our uniforms into symbols of integrity and admiration. We ask that you remember this: When a man conducts himself in a disorderly manner while in uniform, he would have done the same had he not entered into the service of his country, and his presence is something which we do not desire.

The Air Force is doing its best

to minimize such incidents by diverting the men into more constructive activities during their off-duty hours. At practically all bases we have a full program of athletics and encourage the men to participate. We try to afford them cultural advancement through our libraries, the hobby shops, the photography laboratories, and various other facilities. These shops operate with a bare minimum of financial cost to the individual. There is also the SAC Short Story Contest which is sponsored annually with cash prize given the winners. In the field of entertainment we provide wholesome floor shows at the various base clubs and, when possible, bring in large stage shows with professional talent. We have barber shop quartets, amateur shows with base talent and operate motion picture theaters. In the base chapels we have choirs and special religious activities. All of these facilities are given a maximum of publicity to insure the largest response possible.

Your understanding and your general attitude are great factors in building up the morale of the servicemen and thereby leading them into constructive channels. When a serviceman feels that the people in the town near him understand him and his position as a military man, he is helped immeasurably in his desire to become a part of that town. He feels that he "belongs" to the community and he is set at ease wherever he may be. A smile and a friendly hand represent a welcome mat to him and one which he will not by-pass or ignore. We will do our best to correct and eradicate incidents which mar our honor and we hope that we may gain your whole-hearted favor and support.



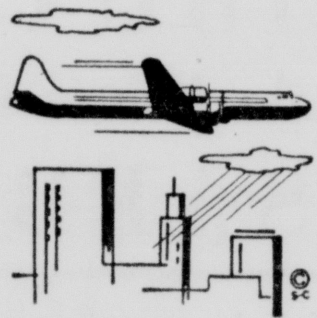
THE COFFEE LOUNGE at the 486th Bomb Squadron at Sedalia Air Force Base is a favorite spot for crews waiting for take-off. L-R are: 1st Lt. John McDonald, Major James Hall, Squadron Operations Officer; 1st Lt. Donald Harvrees; Lt. Col. Harry Robb, Squadron Commander; and Captain Robert Kittleson.



AIRMEN FIND THAT mail call is simplified at the 486th Bomb Squadron since the construction of the new mail room. Each man has an individual box and can tell at a glance whether or not he has any mail.

Photos by S/Sgt. R. K. McDonald.

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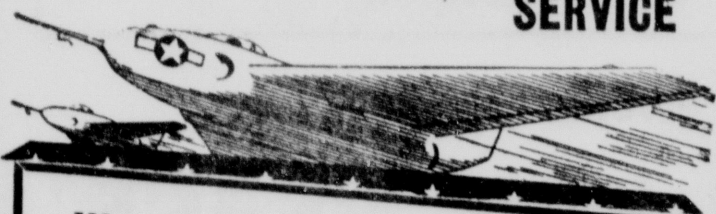
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A CREW MEMBER'S LIFE could depend on how well his parachute is packed, that's why the Field Maintenance parachute rigging at Sedalia Air Force Base can't make mistakes. Shown in the top photo are L-R S/Sgt. Lowe Irving, A/IC Ernest Ferry, and Mr. Douglas Scott. (Photo by S/Sgt R. K. McDonald)

Base Is Like A Small City; Has No Needs

Sedalia Air Force Base is like a small city — it has its restaurants, its drug stores, its clothing stores, bank, schools, its police department and fire department, it has its football and baseball and other sports, its hospitals, church — you name it and the Air Force Base has got it.

The population of the Sedalia Air Force Base community is about 3,000, including the civilian personnel employed there. These military personnel are assigned to 15 squadrons — eight in the parent unit, the 340th Bomb Wing; and seven in the support unit, the 340th Air Base Group. In addition there are several small detachments attached to the base.

Each unit has a separate and distinct job. The Wing Squadrons are directly concerned with flying, while the Air Base Group organizations provide the food, the supplies, the security, vehicles, administration and other things necessary to sustain the base. In other words the Group keeps house for the Wing.

Sedalia has three medium bomb squadrons, the 486th, 487th, and 488th, to which all of the combat crews and the Boeing B-47 jet bombers are assigned. These squadrons, along with the 340th Aerial Refueling Squadron, are the key units. Every other function on the base is there to provide the support needed to get these planes in the air and train the air crews for strategic bombing.

Responsible for keeping the planes in flying condition the Wing's three maintenance squadrons — the Periodic Maintenance Squadron which thoroughly inspects each aircraft after 200 flying hours and makes necessary minor repairs; the Field Maintenance Squadron, which handles more complicated repairs on engines and fuselage; and the Armament and Electronics Maintenance Squadron, whose technicians check and repair the complicated and delicate electronic systems on the aircraft.

The last Wing organization is the Headquarters Squadron whose administrative personnel man the staff sections which supervise and guide the work of the Wing squadrons.

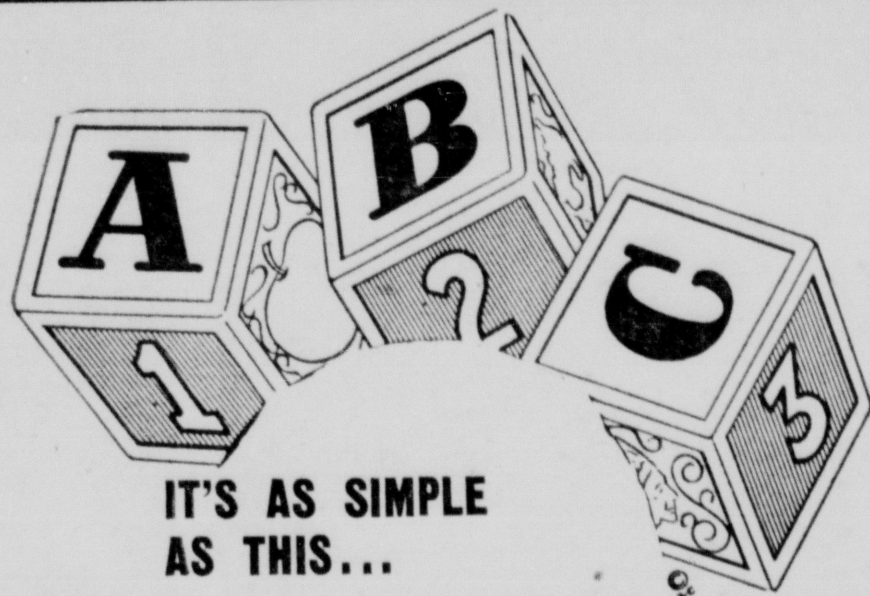
Close cooperation is necessary between the units of the Wing and those of the Air Base Group. For example the Supply Squadron must work closely with the maintenance squadrons to see that they have needed parts and tools immediately. The Air Force can't afford to have one of its two and one half million dollar bombers tied up in maintenance for lack of a \$25 part.

Working closely with the tactical squadrons is the Operations Squadron, which organizes and regulates the flying activity at the base. The weather detachment and

training detachment are also attached to this squadron.

Of course without the Food Service Squadron, the base couldn't function and the security of the air base is a vital responsibility of the Air Police Squadron.

Without the wheels of the Motor Vehicle Squadron, the base would be at a standstill, and without the base maintenance of the Installations Squadron, the roads and buildings would soon deteriorate and the base would be without power and water.



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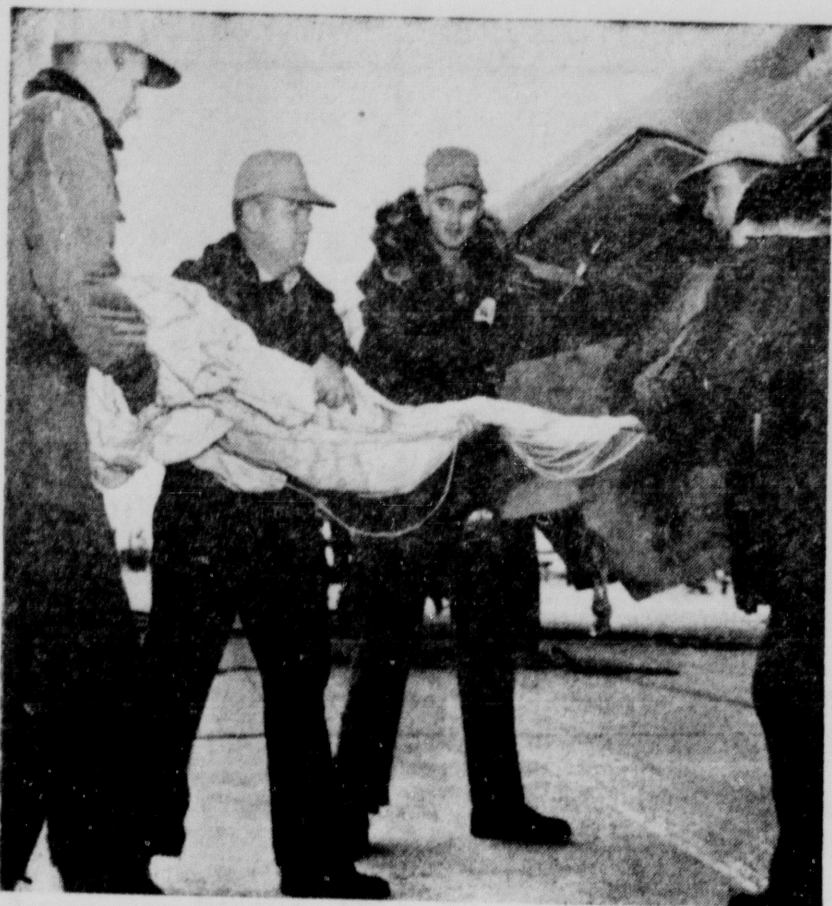
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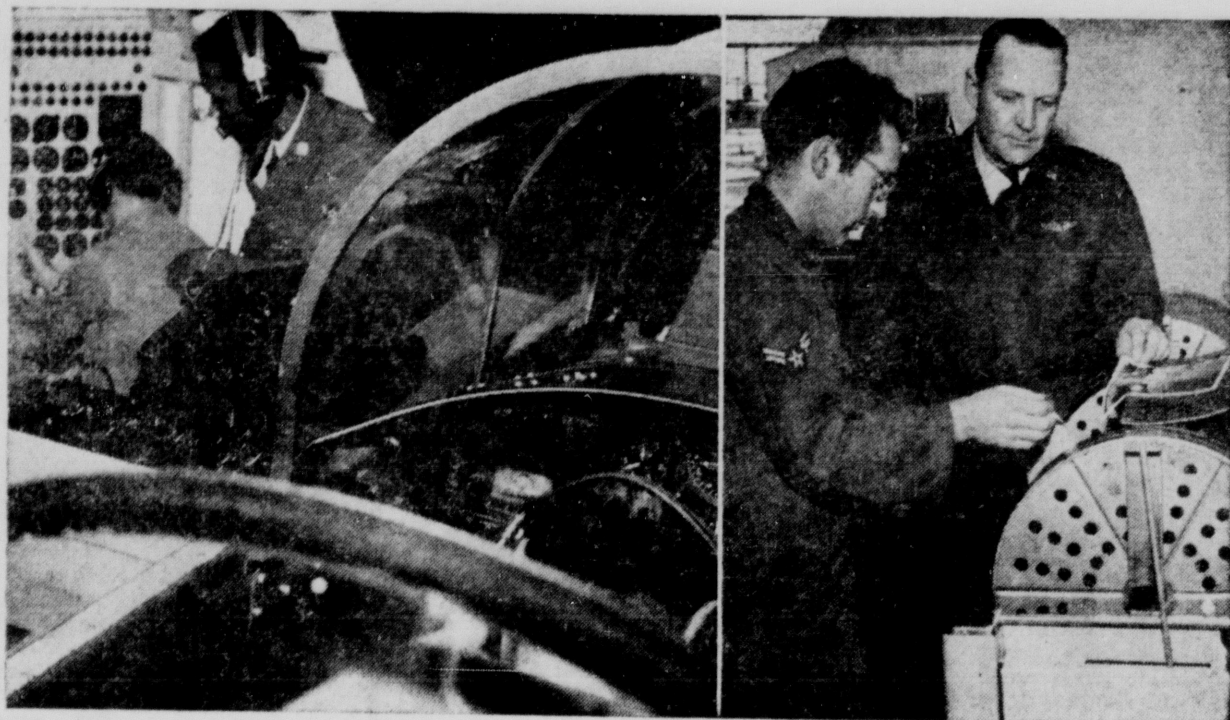
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A B-47 DRAG CHUTE is packed carefully in place by men of the 487th Bomb Squadron at Sedalia Air Force Base prior to a mission. It is SOP for each aircraft commander to personally supervise the loading of the drag chute used to stop the high speed jets in landing. In this case it is Capt. Walter Julin (left) and assisting him are 1st Lt. Troy C. Rhodes, A/2C C. L. Eakes, and S/Sgt. T. Emerson. (Photo by S/Sgt. R. K. McDonald)



THIS BOEING B-47 TRAINER simulates actual flying conditions for the pilot sitting in its mock cockpit. Their performance at its controls are recorded and evaluated by these operators of the Mobile Training Detachment at Sedalia AFB. The Base photo lab, at right, is a vital section of the Operations Squadron. They process all radar film taken during practice bombing runs. Capt. John S. Bryant, officer-in-charge, watches as prints are removed from a print washer.

tems, \$2,674,186; construction in progress, \$57,109.

The expenses of an air base are also impressive. At Sedalia

the monthly payroll for military personnel is roughly \$700,000, for civilian personnel it is \$127,000 and local purchases run to \$189,-

000. This totals over a million dollars crossing the pay tables and going to businesses of the Sedalia area.

The Air Force Is Big Business

The Air Force is big business. In fact it is the biggest business in the world today. For example, the total capital assets of Sedalia Air Force Base, one of the smaller of hundreds of Air Force bases throughout the world, runs to \$154,795,924.

Here is a breakdown of these

assets (as of March 31, 1955): Inventory, \$7,807,103; subsistence, \$75,133; equipment and use, \$11,363,213; aircraft, \$110,646,289; land and land improvements, \$189,130; pavements and runways, \$10,042,161; buildings and structures, \$11,941,595; utilities, plants and sys-



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